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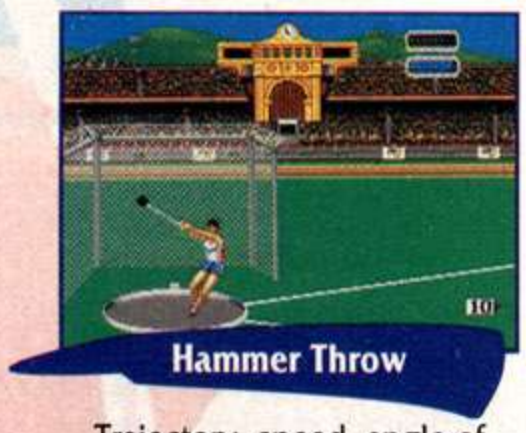

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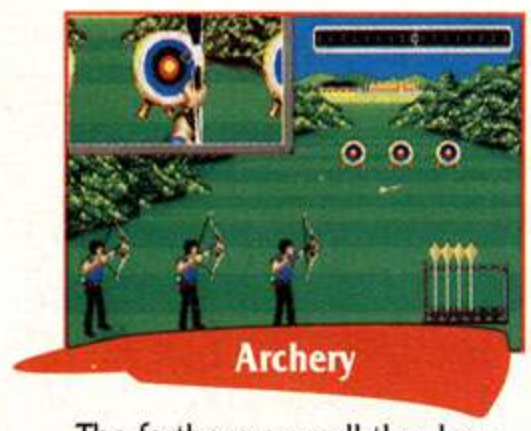

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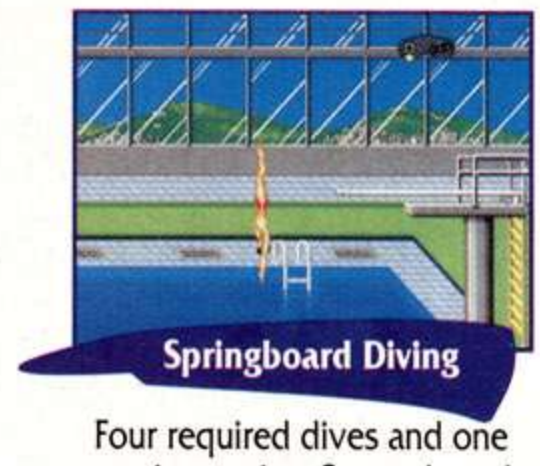

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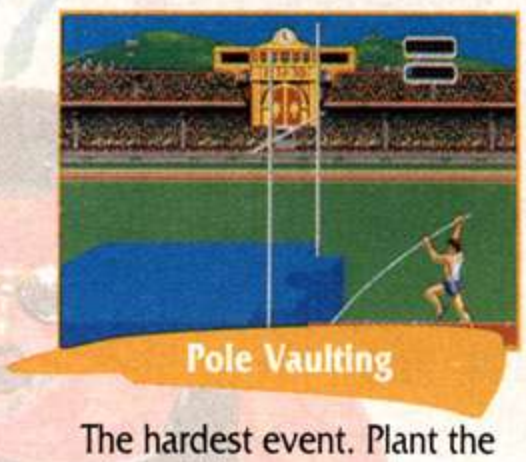

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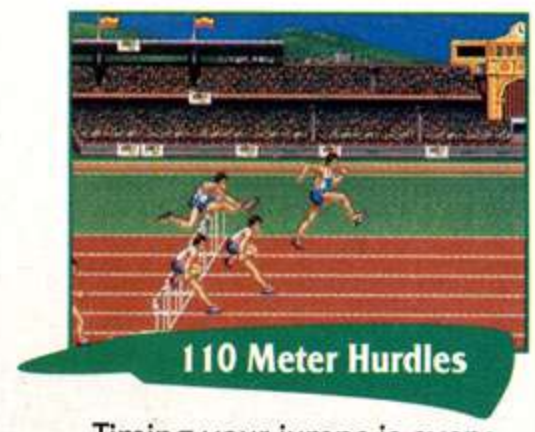

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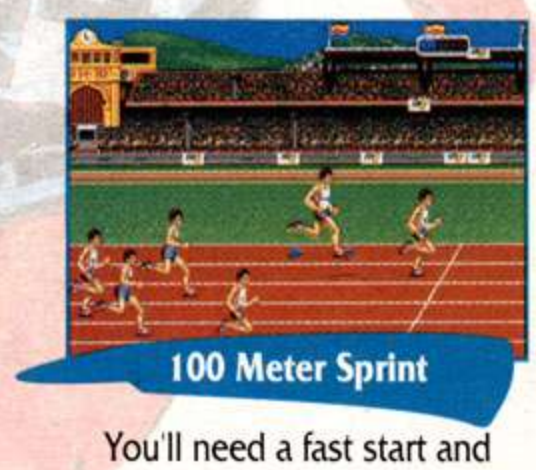

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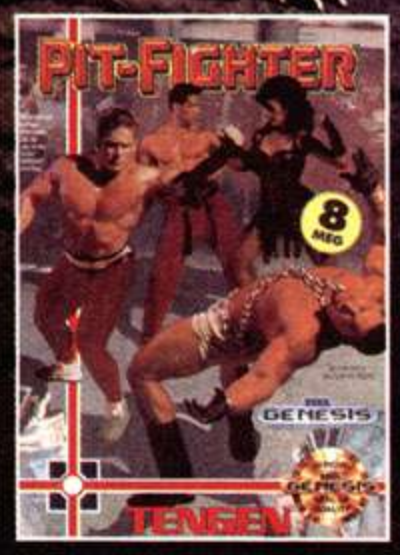

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PRESS START

WILL A NEW PRICE ATTRACT NEW GENESIS USERS?

While summer is just beginning to heat up outside, the battle for holiday supremacy in the video game world is already burning. With the Nintendo Super NES now in full swing with high profile game releases hitting store shelves, Sega is, for the first time, facing real competition to their title as leader of the "next generation" game systems. At the recent summer Consumer Electronics Show, the war raged on between the big 'N' and Sega, with a number of interesting and potentially exciting developments occurring.

Probably the most newsworthy item to leave the show was the birth of a new price war between the two 16-Bit leaders. Earlier this year, both Sega and Nintendo continued the downward spiral of retail prices for their game consoles, with $129 and $149 representing the most recent respective asking prices going into the show. Now, however, the companies have retooled the systems and packaging (leaving out pack-in games and controllers) and both have met at the 99 buck plateau.

16-Bit gaming is now as affordable as 8-Bit play ever was!

What will this mean for our favorite game system? To compete in the future, Sega will have to show that they have the stuff it takes to produce games on a caliber of Nintendo and the legions of third-party licensees that support the Super NES. Internally, Sega wowed audiences at the CES with the super sequel to Sonic the Hedgehog. Although the version on display was still a little rough around the edges, it did show off many cool new ideas. And as far as outside support for the Genesis is concerned, many die-hard Nintendo licensees are now in both camps and eager to see if the hardcore support that the Genesis currently enjoys will be picked up by their game titles.

In addition to the price drop, Sega also confirmed that it will be the first to enter with a compatible CD-ROM system. Sure, Nintendo has one on the way, but Sega's will be here before the end of the year with a wide variety of software. Although early indications hint at some disappointments (like After Burner 3), many of the original discs that are being produced on this side of the Atlantic with a movie tie-in have great potential and really display the capabilities of what CD-ROM can do!

So no matter how you look at it, 16-Bit gaming has finally arrived for the masses and the resulting impression that insiders within the video game industry now have is upbeat and exciting! The Super NES may bow with some hot titles this summer, but that doesn't mean that Sega doesn't have a few tricks of its own hiding up a sleeve!

ED SEMRAD
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AN OPEN LETTER TO SEGA

It seems as though before the Super NES came out, everybody liked the Genesis. But now, since Nintendo has released their machine, the Super NES is now seen as the best. I believe this is because the Genesis games and their graphics are starting to fall lower and lower. What's happening to the Genesis?

Sega should be putting more detail into the games and taking more time to make them. Sega did an excellent job with Sonic the Hedgehog as well as a few other games. If Sega made most of their games like they made Sonic, I think they'd find themselves selling more systems and more games.

All my friends and I talked about Streets of Rage and how cool it was, but when I saw it I thought more detail could have been included.

What Sega needs is Street Fighter 2 or a killer version of Streets of Rage 2 with more detail. Why couldn't Streets of Rage be more like Final Fight for the Super NES?

Sega needs a miracle and fast! I hope the company pays attention to what consumers told them when they bought millions of Sonics and start improving the rest of their games fast.

Tim Radzikowski
Oceanside, CA

(Ed. Thanks for the opinions Tim, it's always good to get input from die-hard Sega fans!

While I agree that in many cases Sega could add more depth to their game play, I don't believe that indicates any type of disinterest on Sega's part to produce great games. In fact, with a wide variety of new third party licensees, led by Acclaim and Tecmo among others, we've started to see some of the most original and well developed titles yet!

As far as your criticism of Streets of Rage is concerned, I think you'll find that this cart has an incredible amount of detail, with dozens of moves in an exciting, albeit straightforward, action exchange. And since you brought up the subject of a Streets of Rage 2, you'll be happy to know that Sega is hard at work on this game and it will indeed emulate many of the exciting scenarios we've seen in the best Super NES beat-em-up carts like Final Fight and Street Fighter 2.)

NOT THIS SUBJECT AGAIN

In the June issue of Mega Play, we finally saw the inevitable question come to be asked: "Will there be a Street Fighter 2 for the Genesis?" At the time I said I doubted it, because it was stated that Capcom and Sega would neither confirm nor deny it. Then, there would be a controller problem. In volume 3, number 3, if you look on page 17, there is a Power Pad from Champ with not three, but six buttons. Finally, getting to the point, I plan to write both Sega and Capcom. If there will be a Street Fighter 2 for the Genesis, it will be the one game that saves this system.

Because Sega might take your advice, ask them to produce the Champion Edition. It doesn't have to be like the arcade version, but just give us the option of choosing the same players.

Torrance Williams
Greenville, MS

Streets of Rage 2 was recently shown at Consumer Electronics Show.

(Ed. We still have received no information from either Sega or Capcom as to the possibilities of a Genesis Street Fighter 2 game. It would, of course, be a mega hit and if it's announced you can be sure to read about it here!)

ARE YOU CRAZY?

This may sound a little stupid, but I'm slightly against having Street Fighter 2 come out for the Genesis. Sure, with the Mega CD-ROM it wouldn't slow down and it would have great music, but with the poor resolution and colors, it would come off looking horrible! The backgrounds on Street Fighter 2, especially Chun Li's and Balrog's, have many colors and it would be slaughtered by the Genesis. Besides, I'd probably rather pop the money on the Super Nintendo version anyway.

Nathan Daniels
Portland, OR

(Ed. Well, I'm not sure if your suggestion is stupid, but you should seriously consider a new therapist. While the Super NES version of Street Fighter 2 is an incredible tour-de-force, that doesn't mean that the Genesis couldn't also produce a high-quality translation of the arcade super hit! We'll just have to wait and see what surprises Sega and Capcom have in store for us lucky Genesis owners.)

A LOST CAUSE?

I have enjoyed reading Mega Play for a long time. I was able to read Mega Play every time my friend purchased it. I have noticed that Mega Play isn't widely available on the newsstands. Why? I think more people will read it if it is easy to get. Why don't you make the magazine more available so that we can buy the magazine in the stores instead of just through subscriptions only.

Just a suggestion.

Victor Chi
Bronx, NY

(Ed. We're glad that you like Mega Play, Victor. But we're also puzzled that you can't find the number one Sega magazine on the newsstands. It can be found in all major bookstores as well as retail stores such as Electronic Boutique and Software Etc. We've also increased distribution so now you'll be able to find Mega Play almost anywhere!)

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I won't buy another Genesis game unless it's a sequel to Michael Jackson's Moonwalker. I loved the arcade version and still do. The thing that disappointed me on the Genesis version, first of all, was that it was a side view. I loved the three-quarter view in the arcades. The graphics could have been better on the Genesis translation also. Where's the spotlight when you dance? What really got me angry was the dance magic. Some dances were only composed of about ten frames. You call that good animation? I don't think so. I hate the way Genesis tries to get a game out on the market without making it the best it can be. You can always improve a game somehow. The game didn't really give you the feel of the music videos and the Bosses could have been more imaginative too.

I wouldn't care if it would take two years, I want an accurate copy of the arcade Moonwalker to Genesis as possible (Total Animation!). I know Sega could do it if they try.

Aaron Merkel
Kutztown, PA

(Ed. What a devoted fan you are! Although there have been rumors of another Moonwalker game ever since the first one was released, none have come to fruition. There is supposedly work being done right now on a CD-ROM version of the Genesis game, but from what we've heard it will essentially be the same game with some hip Jackson tunes. In the meantime, however, you can increase your enjoyment of the game if you wear a glove and sit inside a pure oxygen-filled glass case.)

ANALYZING THE SEGA CD

There seems to be a lot of talk in your letter column these days about the Mega CD. The fact is that Sega now has the ultimate peripheral for the ultimate system and this has sparked quite a bit of discussion.

Price: This seems dead on for a machine with such awesome capabilities. Remember the Turbo CD entering the market at $400? For quite awhile afterwards, it was selling for $300, and even this reduced price did not reflect what the system was capable of. For a unit with scaling, zoom, rotation and a multitude of other effects, along with the massive memory of CDs as well as enough RAM in the unit to adequately utilize it. I have no qualms whatsoever paying $300 for the Sega CD.

Compatibility: Excellent job, Sega!! Ensuring that no Mega CD games will be played on the Sega CD units will open the window of opportunity that multimedia offers and with this move Sega could very well have the home unit that propels us into the next century of video games.

Capability: Even with the excellent potential of the Genesis and Sega CD, I have noticed some say that they are dissatisfied with the color palette. My only question to them is: WHY? In the March/April issue, Sean Crisden asks, "Where's the 256 colors and VGA?" With all his good concerns, Sean doesn't seen to know much about electronics. First of all, he needs to know that having a color palette of 512 colors will not make the Genesis or Sega CD obsolete any time in the near future. He also needs to know that if the Sega CD did splash 256 colors on-screen at once, he would need to go out and buy an expensive monitor to play his games. Sure the Super NES is *capable* of 256 simultaneously displayed colors, but the simple fact of the matter is that the family television is not able to handle that many colors!! This is only one reason why Sega designed the Genesis and Sega CD with a palette of 512 colors. Another reason is that more colors require more memory, so they will be able to get more of a game into their carts and CDs before they have to worry about data compression. Another item is that there are only so many colors that your eye can discern. By having the most vibrant, vivid colors available on the Genesis and Sega CD, the programmers are able to come up with graphics that explode with color. It's not how many colors you have to choose from, it's how well you can use what you have. For a very dramatic example of what I'm trying to say, check out Techno Soft's Thunder Force 3 and Elemental Master. Probably the best use of VGA would be involved with digitization, that's where the ultra high resolution and larger color palette make a difference; yet, even VGA and Super VGA pale in comparison to 24-Bit video which has over 16 million colors and is the closest thing to real sight ever seen on any screen! But anyway, I would have to say that I haven't seen anything on any VGA or even Super VGA monitor that compares to the phenomenal graphics found in each and every one of Techno Soft's games. You could do well to inform Sean and any other readers who worry about the Genesis and Sega CD of the color situation.

Michael Owens
Walls, MS

(Ed. There you have it! Any readers care to respond?)

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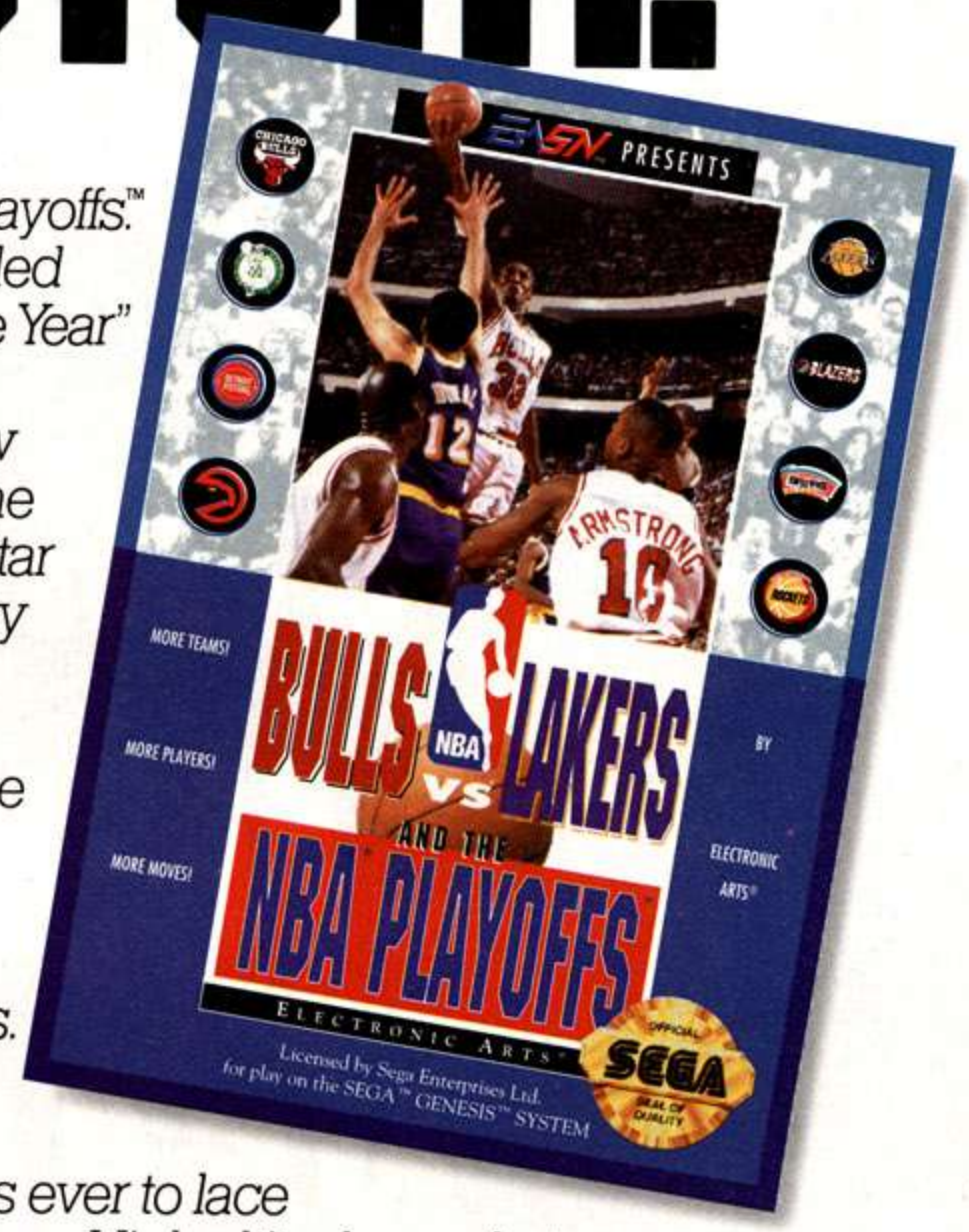

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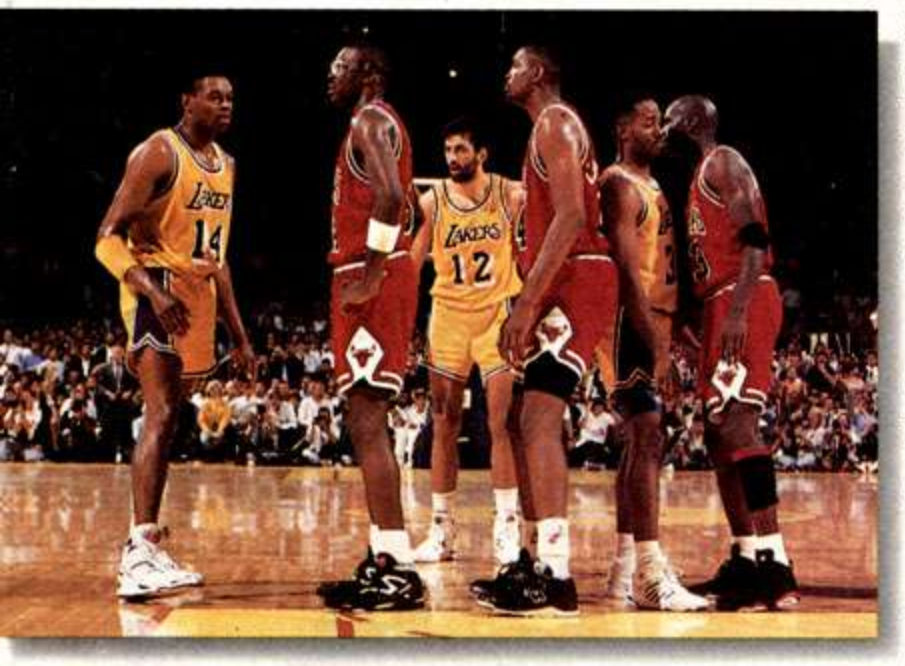

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SEGA CD-ROM TO DEBUT IN NOVEMBER

Retail Price, Pack-Ins and First Titles Announced at CES

The veil of secrecy has finally been lifted from Sega's new CD-ROM project! Although the machine, which has been on sale in Japan as the Mega CD for nearly a year, the first glimpse of the American look and feel of the machine was not felt until the summer Consumer Electronics Show in Chicago last May. While there are several significant changes from the Japanese unit, the overall potential of Sega's next generation of gaming appears formidable.

In an official press release announcing the product, Sega unveiled not only the price of the peripheral, but game titles, packaging and release dates as well.

Although Nintendo has been highly touting their CD-ROM to be as a $200 super system, Sega unfortunately could not break the price point of Nintendo's vaporware. The company did smash the $370 price that the system commanded in Japan upon release, however, charging into the marketplace at a somewhat steep $299. To offset the higher price of Nintendo's "on paper" CD drive, Sega has included many added value items that will be packed in with the machine. Included in the pack-in will be three CDs and a special memory expansion module containing 8-Meg of RAM in cartridge form.

The Sega-CD in all its glory! The new super peripheral will bring true CD-ROM gaming and incredible effects to Genesis owners everywhere!

The primary freebie disc is not a Phantasy Star follow-up nor the powered-up sequel to Sonic the Hedgehog. Instead, Sega has opted to include a title that enjoyed tremendous success on the Turbo-Grafx-16 CD-ROM system, Sherlock Holmes Consulting Detective. This revolutionary new game combines the proven play concept within an elaborate three-mystery challenge that incorporates real video and speech from actors playing the lead parts in the game. The Sega CD translation of the Turbo original is essentially the same, but Sega has managed to improve the quality of the full-motion video by including more frames of animation which also increases the game's ability to synchronize speech with the action.

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Also being included in the box with the Sega CD is the first in what Sega plans to make a continuing series of "Collector's Edition" discs that feature multiple Sega Genesis hits on the same CD. The first disc to be included with the machine will feature five games that will be announced at a later date.

The final pack-in disc that will be included with the Sega CD will be a CD+G (Compact Disc + Graphics) sampler that will feature music and other effects that the machine is capable of handling.

While the machine has essentially been completed since its Japanese introduction last year, Sega is now said to be holding up the actual in-store release of the system until November to let the software development catch up with the hardware. Although many exciting titles based on movies such as Batman Returns, Cool World and Star Trek: The Next Generation are in the works, many of the most conventional titles such as Sonic 2 and After Burner 3 will, alas, only be reprogrammed versions of the same game that have new sound effects and music added.

Many new games were showcased for play on the Sega CD at the Consumer Electronics Show in Chicago, but most of them were in an early state and a completely unplayable format. Mega Play did get access, however, to many of the most exciting new titles now in the works. To the right you'll get the first impressions that the Mega Play staff had towards these Sega CD-specific titles.

Although the release of the system is still a few months away, the excitement within Sega and the industry is building for what could potentially turn out to be one of the most important events in video games since the initial release of the Genesis nearly three years ago. Despite the steep price and slow start for many of the cart to disc games, the machine has a bright future with the right software support behind it.

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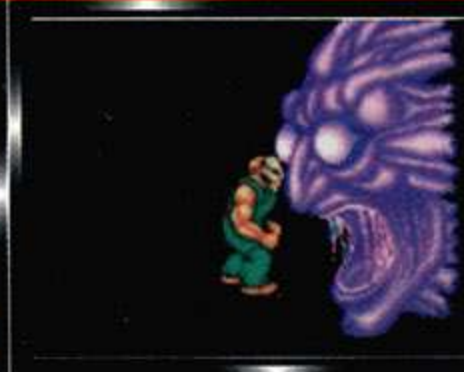

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DRAGON'S FURY
(Tengen/Genesis)

Play Final Stage - To start your game with 999,999,900 points and 13 balls, select a one player game and enter this password: 6RENAX-UEMW. This will bring you to the final stage once the ball hits an object. If you need help beating the final stage, then select a two player game and enter the password: 6RENAX-UEMW6RENAXUEMW. This will give you 26 balls.

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Last Section Password - This code will put you into the last section of the game. The puzzles get really tough here. Many doors will hinder your way to the end. On the title screen, enter the password:

SIDESHOW

Krusty will have to walk past many open doors and closed gates to get to the final section. Once in there, you will find even more challenging puzzles to figure out.

Once you walk past many completed sections, you will finally make it to the last doorway.

That door leads to a number of smaller doors with plenty of puzzles to keep you busy. Good luck!

TEST DRIVE 2
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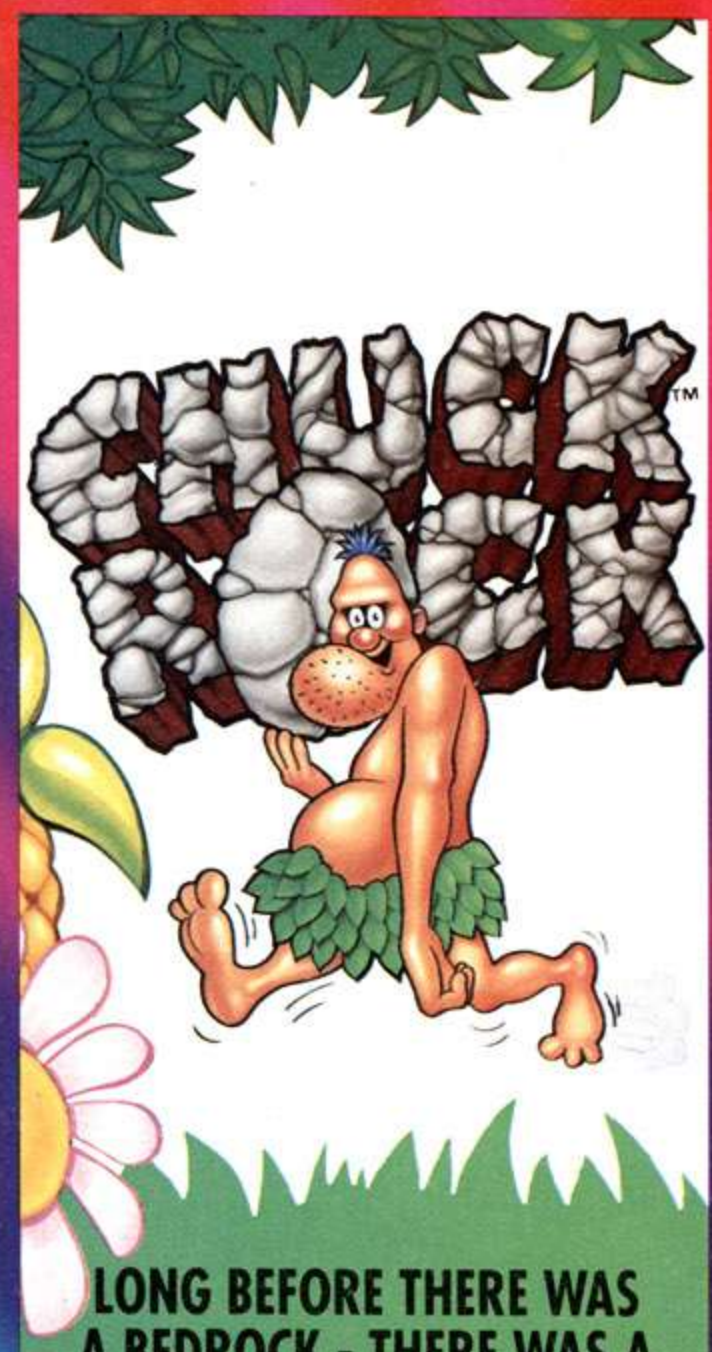
Secret Options Screen - To get an options screen in which you can change your music, sound, or decide to quit, set all of your configurations and start driving. At any time during your driving, press and hold A, B and C simultaneously. If you want to resume driving, make that choice to exit the options screen.

Just start driving as normal and do the trick.

An options screen will appear in the window.



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"This looks to be one of the best Genesis games this winter! It has everything perfectly; Great graphics, sound, good control and humorous antics. Best of all -it's fun to play!"
MEGA PLAY

"Take a walk on the wild side with Chuck Rock. This game is worth the bucks for the music and graphics alone, Move over Rolling Stones, the real roots of rock and roll are here!"
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SPORTS TALK BASEBALL
(Sega/Genesis)

Easy Out - Here is a tip for Sports Talk Baseball. When you are out in the field and the other team gets a single, keep throwing the ball around the bases and the runner on first base will attempt to go to second base. You will then have an easy pick-off at second base. For example: The runner is on first and you throw it to first. The runner is safe. Throw it to second base, throw it to third base, and then throw it to second base again. From second base, throw it to first base and then to third base. The runner will go to second base. Throw the ball to second base to tag the runner out. Timing is critical! If the runner starts going back toward first base, run after him and you should be able to tag him out.

Adam Buerman
Medford, MN

Don't bother with the batter right now. The runner at first base can get out first.

There goes the throw to third base as the runner starts for second base.

The throw back to second base should get him tagged for an out.

BULLS VS. LAKERS
(Electronic Arts/Genesis)

Championship Game Codes - These passwords will bring you to the final Championship Games of the Bulls, Knicks, Blazers and Hawks. Enter the codes on the password screen for the following teams: Bulls vs. Blazers - CX0CGBB4, Knicks vs. Blazers - GJ0GBBBF, Blazers vs. Hawks - 0B0BLBBY.

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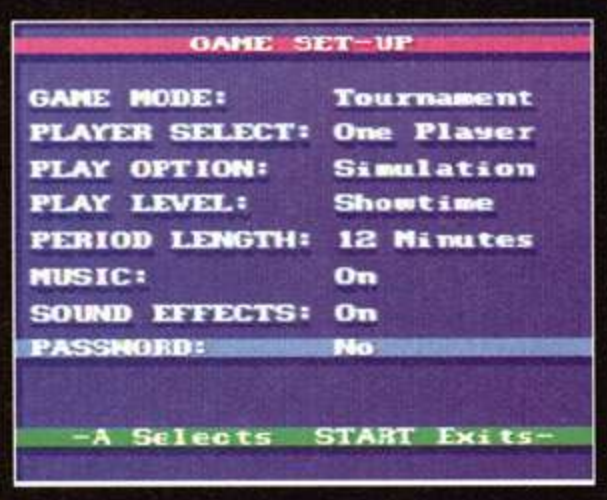

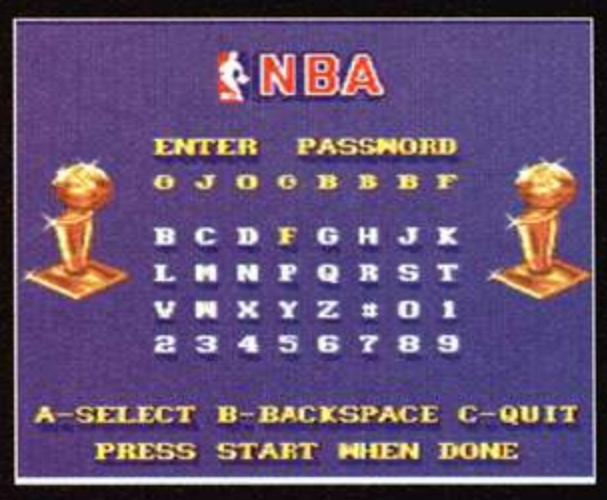

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COMING ATTRACTIONS

SONIC THE HEDGEHOG 2
Genesis / Sega

Sonic the Hedgehog is back in his biggest and best adventure of all time. Now, Sonic has got a twin-tailed buddy!

The second adventure has more danger, speed, and zones than ever before! Sonic will travel through time to reach places like prehistoric zones with thunderous dinosaurs all the way to a doomed future filled with toxic pollution.

Sonic 2 is also a two player game with split screen action!

Sonic is on the move collecting rings and dismembering Dr. Robotnik's evil crew.

Wow! This corkscrew loop can throw you for a loop if you are not careful. Just keep running!

SONIC THE HEDGEHOG 2
Game Gear / Sega

Sonic the Hedgehog is also making a second appearance on the Game Gear! This time Sonic can go hang gliding, railcart riding and even burrow underground.

Sonic can collect rings to gain extra lives and can have help from his two-tailed buddy!

Dr. Robotnik has created a "Death Egg" and will protect it all costs with a series of new creatures that he has created.

The Hedgehog with an attitude is even better portable!

Dr. Robotnik and his vile crew don't stand a chance against the quick moving Sonic.

Sonic the Hedgehog 2 for Game Gear will be available by Christmas of 1992.

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Arch Rivals®: The Arcade Game brings all its hard-hitting, slam-dunking "in your face" arcade action into your home! This is basketball where breaking the rules is part of the rules! If you can't block a shot - knock your opponents block off! But you still need real B-ball skills like passing, shooting, slam dunks, 3-pointers and more! Arch Rivals isn't just basketball...it's a basketBRAWL!

SEGA GENESIS 16-BIT CARTRIDGE

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STREETS OF RAGE II

Genesis / Sega

16-MEG!

The ultimate in street combat continues as Axel and Blaze team up with Adam's brother, Sammy, and his pro wrestler friend, Max, to battle Mister X.

There are seven rounds of tough fighting action through the city's worst areas. Utilize tons of fighting moves including throwing many things you find.

Two player simultaneous action and a full 16-Meg of memory lift Streets of Rage above the crowd!

Streets of Rage II is a 16-Meg extravaganza. Two players can battle the city's worst scum!

Blaze and Max are prepared to take on the city streets. The crime bosses are everywhere!

BATMAN RETURNS™

Genesis / Sega

Just like this summer's block-buster hit, Batman Returns is packed with incredible acrobatic battles against the death-dealing Penguin.

Seven breathtaking levels of realistic movie set scenes of the crime-ridden underworld and crazed circus scenes. Batman can use many weapons to combat the Penguin's evil minions. Stop the Penguin at all costs!

Batman will be racing into your homes by mid-October.

Your battle will take you through Gotham City's most crime-infected areas.

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GREENDOG

Genesis / Sega

Greendog is an ultra-cool surfer dude on a truly awesome mission. He must break a pendant's curse by locating the Surfboard of the Ancients.

Greendog can use his peddle-copter, skateboard and inline skates to travel the terrain. His weapon of choice is a frisbee to knock the exotic creatures out of his way. The colorful cartoon look is complemented by a cool reggae sounding beat.

Like totally help Greendog to find that awesome surfboard and eliminate the curse dude!

Greendog is set in a beautiful island paradise filled with beautiful sights and waterfalls.

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B-BOMB
Genesis / Sega

Barker the Bulldog, Ophelia the Cow and Trotsky the Pig have been captured by the Plutonians. To be set free, these three brave characters must play the Plutonian national sport utilizing their rear ends!

Fly through space in a five level competition as you bounce on hapless opponents. Your only weapon is your derriere, so get your big butt out there!

You can select from three main characters in an attempt to set you and your comrades free!

In B-Bomb, you can bounce on the enemies, or have your character team up with another.

YOUNG INDIANA JONES™
Genesis / Sega

Based off of the series of the same name, Young Indiana Jones has you reliving the story of one of the greatest explorers!

Young Indy will adventure through serene looking towns, that are actually filled with vile henchmen out to kill you off!

Young Indy's main weapon is, of course, a whip. The graphics of this whip is a computer generated image that moves around with great detail.

Another T.V. series is coming to the Genesis. Take part in some of Young Indy's greatest adventures.

Here we see Indy taking on a group of henchmen. Your powerful whip will stop them cold.

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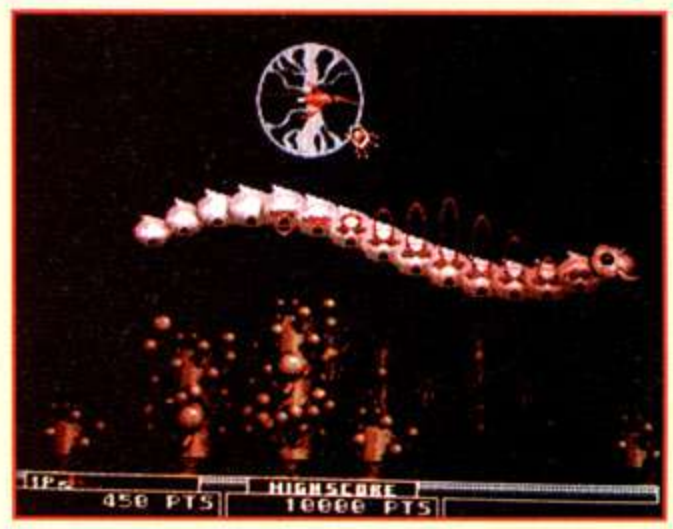
BIO-HAZARD BATTLE
Genesis / Sega

Nuclear waste has mutated once peaceful life forms into war ravaged beasts that thrive on violence and bloodshed.

Thus, you must be brave enough to withstand the overwhelming odds and pilot one of four powerful fighters. As you play this shooter, you can pick up many power-ups that increase your power astronomically!

Locate the last boss and put an end to this nuclear tyranny.

Bio-Hazard Battle is an involving shooter that involves quick reflexes and a fast trigger finger!



One of the enemies has just emerged from a nuclear pit. Blow it away quickly!

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WORLD OF ILLUSION™
Genesis / Sega

Mickey Mouse and Donald Duck were playing backstage at a magic show. They located a box and when they attempted to move it, they found themselves in a World of Illusion.

Mickey and Donald can team up to help each other cross pits, climb cliffs and jump gorges. At the bosses, one character can distract the boss while the other attacks. Great cartoony graphics add to the feel of this hot cart!

World of Illusion is truly a team effort. It is very challenging to get through without the other's help!

Mickey and Donald meet up with one of the first monsters. It can warp in and out.

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CHESTER CHEETAH™
Genesis / Kaneko

Chester Cheetah is on the scene in Kaneko's hot new game...Chester Cheetah! Collect paws through plenty of levels full of mischief that only Chester can handle.

He can jump down holes to avoid enemies, springboard them with his tail and kick in a turbo mode where he runs very quickly across the screen! Take on some really tough bosses at the end of each stage.

Chester has just avoided certain doom by outmaneuvering a truck. The manhole can wisk you away.

Try to avoid the current of the raging river!

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TERMINATOR 2™: THE ARCADE GAME
Genesis / Arena

One of the hottest arcade shooters to come along in a while has to be Terminator 2:The Arcade Game. Arena has faithfully reproduced this into an action packed home game.

Blast away all the cyborgs that have come to hunt you down. Look inside ammo crates to build up your weapon power. Fight to the last boss in hopes of saving the Earth from certain doom!

The waves of attacking robots never end in this shooting free for all. Watch your ammo meter.

Pick up a laser cannon to finish off these stragglers.

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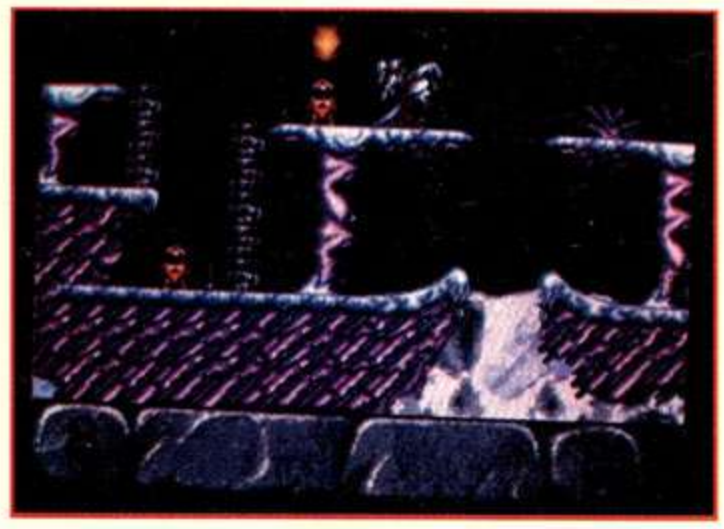
THE HUMANS
Genesis / GameTek

The Humans is the story of people. Their struggle is to survive life in general. What could possibly be so difficult about human survival?

You control a tribe of humans and use them to bring others to safety. As the game progresses, your humans will learn new discoveries like fire, the wheel and hunting!

Control the life of others in The Humans from GameTek!



Here is what a basic stage looks like. Use the humans that are spread about to save the others.

Before each level begins, you learn information like how many need to be saved

THE FLINTSTONES™
Genesis / Taito

The modern stone age family is now starring in their own game! The Flintstones stars Fred in this side-scrolling action game. Fred can climb on rooftops to locate weapons and food. Many birds and dinosaurs are ready to lend Fred a hand.

Some of the levels include a journey through Bedrock, nearby caves and a shark infested lake. Have a Yabba Dabba Doo time playing the Flintstones.

Fred's adventures begin in Bedrock. Climb upon rooftops to find new weapons.

This helpful bird has carried you across that large gorge.

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SMASH T.V.
Genesis / Acclaim

The arcade hit Smash T.V. is now arriving for the Genesis. You and a friend can compete for big money and big prizes in this game show.

As competitors, you are equipped with guns that can fire special ammo such as grenades, missiles and nukes. Face unyielding bosses to reach the final zone against the M.C.

Good luck. You'll need it!

This one or two player cooperative tournament sets the standard in high speed shooters.

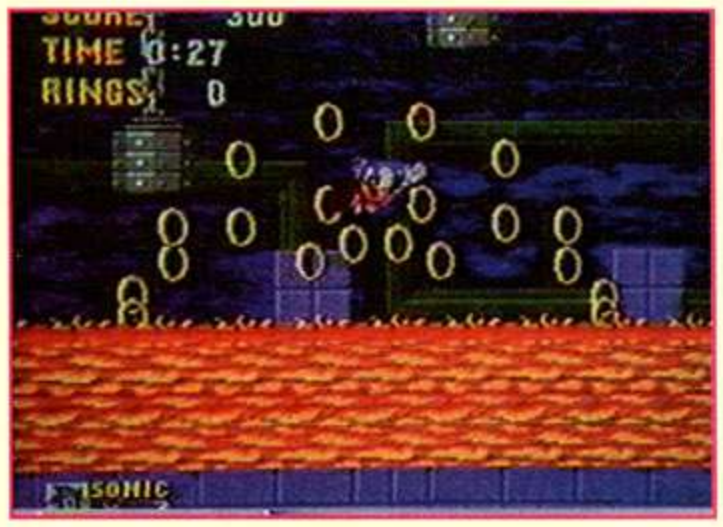
The Cobra Boss is ready to strike at a moments notice. Blow off its head.

Menu: Genesis: Red; Mega Drive: Blue; Mega CD-ROM: Orange; U.S. Game Gear:Yellow; Japanese Game Gear: Green; Master System: Cyan.

SONIC THE HEDGEHOG
Sega CD / Sega

That's right! Everyone's favorite blue hedgehog is back on Sega CD! While the mission may be the same, the inclusion of high-quality music is a welcome addition.

Sonic must still outrun and outwit Dr. Robotnik's motley band of robotic nasties! Collect rotating rings to gain points and lives while adventuring through seven zones of fast paced action. Sonic the Hedgehog is a winner!



Try to avoid the lava, or your rings will be shot around the screen! Collect as many as possible.

Perfect timing is needed to jump on the moving weights. Try not to slip, or else!

BATMAN RETURNS™
Sega CD / Sega

Holy Cat-tastrophe Batman! The Catwoman and the Penguin are big trouble in Batman Returns.

Batman Returns employs some exciting driving sequences with the BatMobile, and the action scenes are a joy to play with scenery set in the mysteriously dark! The CD music is lifted right from the movie to add to the sense of thrill that only the Batman series can deliver.

Gotham City's buildings are burning! Race the BatMobile through the city streets.

Come through the checkpoints to earn bonus points!

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DOLPHIN
Sega CD / Sega

Dolphin is a secret project that Sega has been developing for quite some time.

You play a dolphin that can swim fast and jump high out of the water to avoid rocks, reefs and other obstacles that stand in your way.

The animation of the dolphin will blow you away with its smooth rotation and very realistic movements.

Clear the rocks by leaping high into the sky and softly landing in the water behind.

Dive deep into the water to locate hidden items that can help you out.

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WING COMMANDER
Sega CD / Sega

You may be the best starfighter pilot, but you were never prepared for a mission like this. Engage in deep space dogfights against the Kilrathi. These aces are deadly, but the future of humanity depends on you.

You will love the highly detailed graphics and excellent sound effects. You can view the action from different angles and play in many exciting missions.

Your main view is from a cockpit perspective. The controls move with every action you make.

Battle Stations! Battle Stations! When the alarm blares, your crew races to their fighters.

WILLY BEAMISH
Sega CD / Sierra

Live life over again in Willy Beamish for the Sega CD. You were invited to enter the Nintari Championships. It would be easy to enter, but you have no fundage to support yourself.

To earn money, you can enter the Big Frog Jumping Championship to earn money, but your mother wants you to babysit your little sister.

Live the adventure in Willy Beamish.

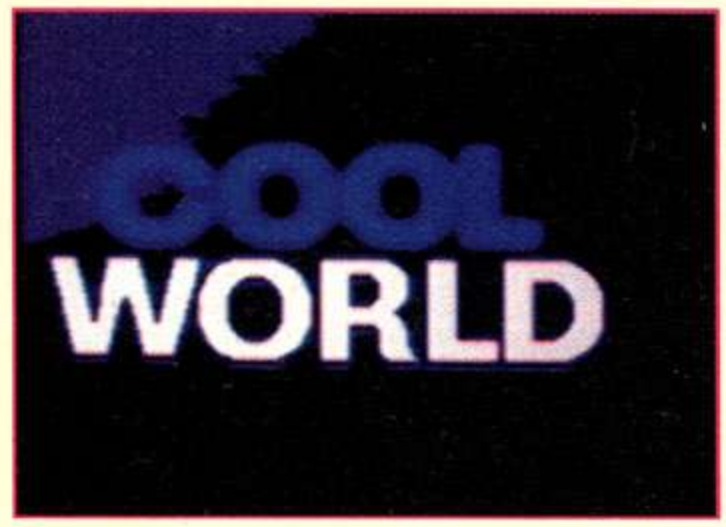
Willy Beamish is a hot computer title that will be a great game for the entire family.

Willy's adventures include some really odd bathroom adventures!

COOL WORLD™
Sega CD / Sega

Based on an upcoming summer movie, Cool World is the story of a cartoon illustrator named Jack who falls into the crazy cartoon world that he creates.

You play the role of Jack, and you must utilize your cartoons in this fabulous world. Escape the real world and travel through your own animated cartoons. Watch for the cartoon cops that will try to arrest you.



Cool World will be a cartoon movie with live actors.

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Holli is one of your friends in this comical adventure. Also, look for Sparks and Vinnie.

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MONKEY ISLAND
Sega CD / Sierra

Sierra is now introducing the vintage computer classic Monkey Island on the Sega CD!

You have been trapped on Monkey Island and you cannot get off. Your only hope is to locate clues that will help you find your way.

Talk to various people in the towns and shops to see if they will help you out!

This Sega CD adventure will please everyone!

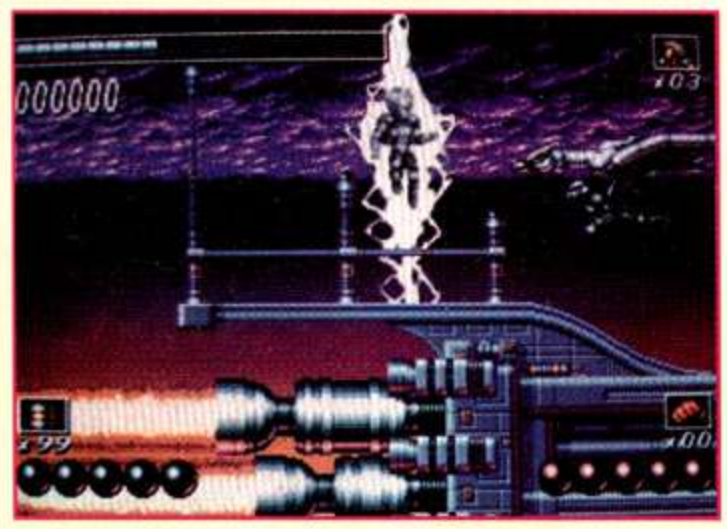
Here is a close-up of Monkey Island. You will spend a lot of time searching around for clues.

Look for the old man at the top of the mountain. He can give you great advice.

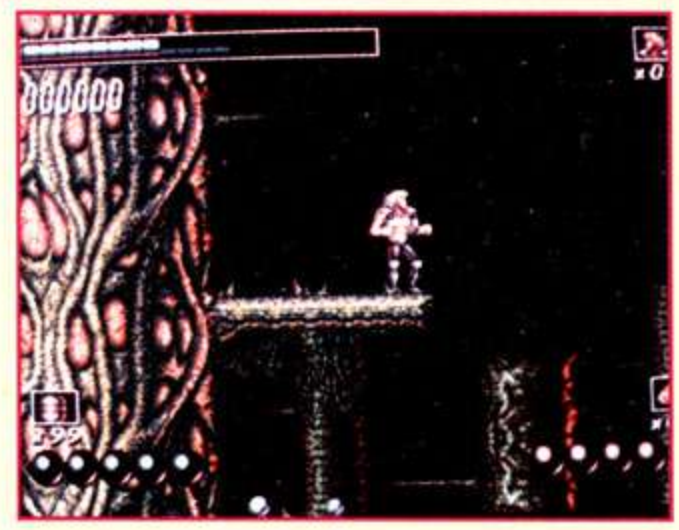
WOLF CHILD
Sega CD / Sierra

Your father has created a machine that can change mere mortals into powerful wolves. An evil dictator wants this machine, so he has kidnapped your father.

Adventure through lots of dangerous levels, collecting pods that keep your wolf power up to speed. Take on mid-bosses and bosses with the help of a robotic buddy. Enhance your wolf powers with more power cubes that you can find.



In the first level, you learn about your wolf powers. Use them throughout the game.



In the second level, you will play in an "enchanting" forest setting.

LEISURE SUIT LARRY
Sega CD / Sierra

Computer gamers are already familiar with the adventures of Larry Laffer, the man in search of the perfect woman.

Larry will now visit many bars, hotels and other lovely places in search of his perfect woman on CD. The CD version will contain voices and music that will fit every situation. While the graphic content is a bit on the adult side, this game should be faithful to the original in every way.

The cab whisks Larry to and from sleazy hotels and bars. Where will he go this time?

When Larry steps out of the cab, a whole new adventure unravels for our hero.

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POLICE QUEST 3
Sega CD / Sierra

Did you ever wonder what it would be like to be a police officer. Play Police Quest 3, by Sierra, and you will have a pretty good idea. Select from Officer Sonny Bonds or Officer Pat Morales and begin your patrol in your squad car.

Various missions will come through the CB, like the Oak Tree Mall killer. You must serve and protect, so get busy with Police Quest 3 from Sierra.

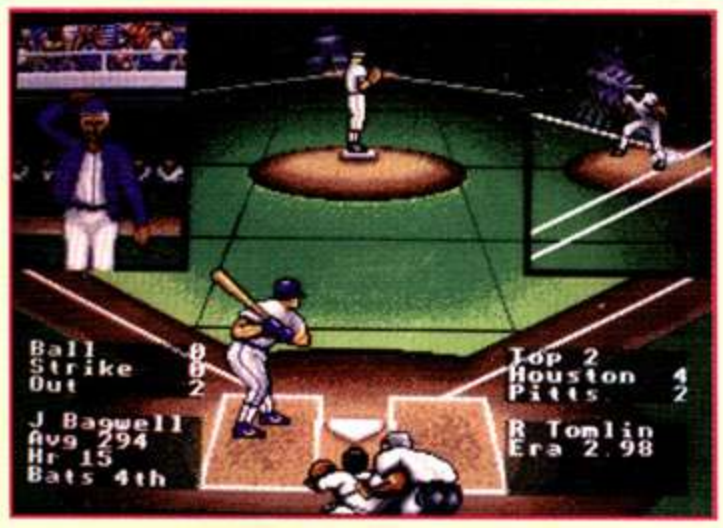
This guy was speeding along at a pretty fast rate. Pull him over and write him a ticket.

Search through this room to gather evidence to make your arrest.

RBI BASEBALL IV
Sega CD / Tengen

Tengen introduces the first baseball title for the Sega CD. RBI IV has all the hard hitting action of an average baseball game, but this game has all the sound effects taken from a real baseball game.

Select from an entire league of plays and stadiums. Some other choices include a fantastic night game with realistic lighting effects.



The game is set in a behind the batter perspective with side windows showing other players.

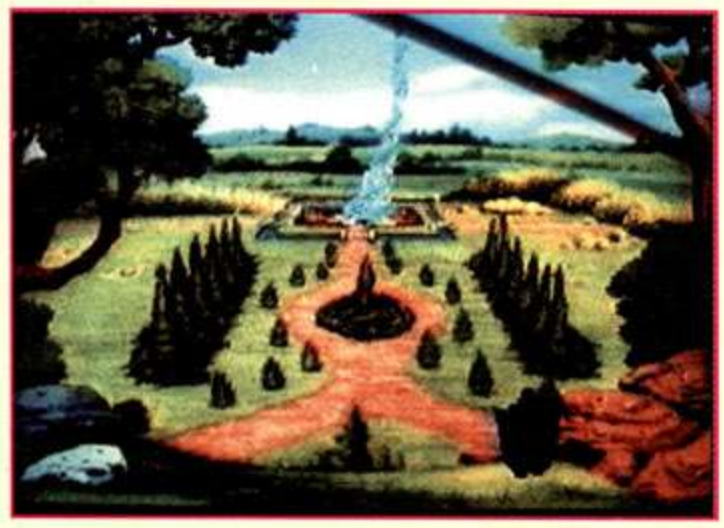
It's a line drive to right field. Get a player over there to retrieve the ball.

KINGS QUEST V
Sega CD / Sierra

Kings Quest V is a very popular role-playing game on computer formats. Now, it is arriving via Sierra on the CD format.

Players will be drawn into a world of fantasy and folklore as they search for your missing family that was kidnapped by Mordack the wizard!

You will journey through dark forests and dark castles to find Mordack and rescue your parents.



The outside of Mordack's castle. Many dangers await within.

Your wizard friend will help you out in combat situations.

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CADASH

SAVE THE PRINCESS

Embark on the adventure of a lifetime with the newest action/RPG cart for the Genesis. It's Cadash by Taito.

In this epic game, the storyline centers around the kidnapping of the good king's daughter by an evil demon bent on destroying the kingdom. Your job is to slice and dice your way through level after level of monsters intent on making you their next victim.

It won't be easy, but collecting bags of gold during your quest and using them to buy weapons, armor and other items will really help. You can even play with a friend to destroy more beasts and increase your chances of survival!

Cadash contains spectacular graphics, great sounds, intense bosses and hundreds of cool creatures to battle!

For more adventure than you can shake a magic staff at, conjure up Cadash. Hurry, the princess awaits!

Keep an eye out for this monster. To avoid him, simply climb a vine.

Try a two-player game for double the action and fun!

Let me give you a hand! Watch-out for these killers, or they will abruptly end your quest.

The status indicator in the upper left gives you all of the necessary information to stay alive.

Party with the gnomes! After you obtain the magic flower, you can shrink to fit into their huts!

Regain your power with a restful stay at the Inn!

These stone-faced freaks are difficult to get past. Use your leaping ability to avoid their weapons.

Buy new weapons and armaments at the weapons shop!

The Mage's ability to use magic provides him with a powerful force. Many different magic types are available after he collects gold from his destroyed enemies.

MEGA FILE

MANUFACTURER	MACHINE	DIFFICULTY	AVAILABLE
TAITO	GENESIS	MODERATE	NOW
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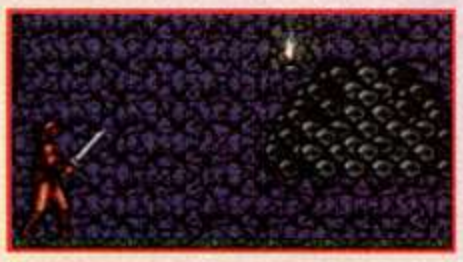
HORRIFYING BOSSES

BOSS 1



BOSS 2

BOSS 3

Gross! These barfing plants are deadly if you get careless. Try to pass them without getting hit.

PICK YOUR CHARACTER!
Fighter- He has great fighting abilities, strength and overall agility. He cannot use magic.
Mage- Mediocre fighting skills are overcome by his capacity to use powerful magic.

The fighter can buy more powerful weapons (like this fire sword) with the gold that he collects.

Cross this underground river while trying to avoid boulders hurled at you from volcanoes!

the item shop

Medical Herb - Restores 30 hit points.

Antidote - Rids the body of poisons.

Extra Life - Gives players an extra man.

Be greedy! Collect as much gold as you possibly can. Gold will enable you to buy weapons, armor and life-giving items.

These floating, one-eyed goons are just one kind of monster you will be pitted against. There are many strange monsters to fight.

Meters in the lower left corner show you how many hit points you have, and how much magic is remaining for the Mage.

Talk to the townspeople to learn valuable information and clues which will help you along the way. Some people will even tell you where to find certain items!

"WHY, YOU LITTLE DEVIL!"

One of the most successful cartoon characters is about to make his star appearance in the 16-Bit realm! Based on the recently released animated series of Taz Mania™, this cart begins with Taz having just learned of a prehistoric bird that could lay eggs capable of feeding a family for almost an entire year! So, faster than you can swallow, Taz went out in search of the fabled valley of the eggs.

All fans of the television series will adore the Taz cart! Sega focused on bringing the Tazmanian Devil to life via different animations that give him unique and exciting characteristics. Watching Taz eat everything in sight, hold up a sign that says "Ouch" and internally blow up after scarfing down a bomb adds to the realism!

Also, if you want a really huge game, this will keep you busy! There are 17 levels of leaping and bounding through jungles, arctic regions, mines and deserts. Plenty of hidden items and power-ups are scattered throughout the levels and you get to chomp your way to them. Check out the new Taz Mania cart and eat up the action!

MEGA FILE

MANUFACTURER	MACHINE	DIFFICULTY	AVAILABLE
SEGA	GENESIS	HARD	NOW
CART SIZE	**NUMBER OF LEVELS**	**THEME**	**% COMPLETE**
4 MEG	17	ACTION	100%

THE MANY FACES OF TAZ!

One of the best methods of attack is to form your tornado and launch full speed ahead!

Throughout the levels, there are switches. Some will turn off devices; others operate elevators.

If you sit too long without pressing pause, Taz will start jumping around and having a fit!

Here is one way to express pain! Watch out for falling objects, or you may get flattened!

When you are venturing through the ice areas, don't fall into the water – you'll be frozen solid!

Be careful what you eat! Should you swallow a bomb when you are not invincible...

GOOD EATING MAKES FOR A HAPPY DEVIL!

"I start em', you finish em' off!" You can eat the enemies of the game for more points.

Get ready for some major heartburn! You can now exhale a stream of flame!

Try looking for these stars near bosses and other hard areas. They provide invincibility!

Well, if it has a picture of Taz on it and a number one next to it, it's got to be a 1-up!

Only eat bombs after you have eaten a star. Otherwise, it's a serious upset stomach!

Food raises health and comes in different forms.

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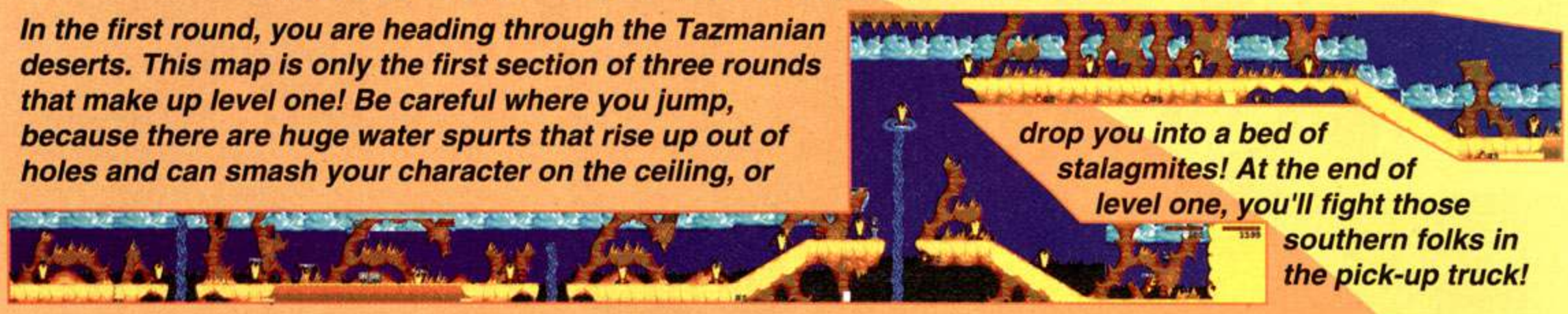
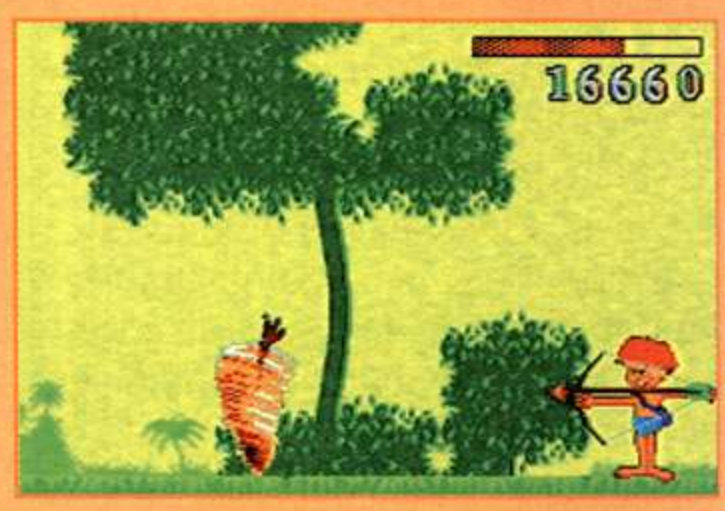
ENTER THE VAST AND CHALLENGING LEVELS!

In the first round, you are heading through the Tazmanian deserts. This map is only the first section of three rounds that make up level one! Be careful where you jump, because there are huge water spurts that rise up out of holes and can smash your character on the ceiling, or drop you into a bed of stalagmites! At the end of level one, you'll fight those southern folks in the pick-up truck!



After defeating the hillbillies in the truck, you'll head up to a war productions factory. Be careful! There are rotating blades and crunching cylinders, not to mention laser guns posted everywhere just waiting to toast you! You'll also need to pull certain levers to find other rooms.

Once through the factory, you can enter an ice zone where you will be slipping and sliding along the pathways. While trying to find a hidden room, don't fall into the lake! Next, it's time to "rumble in the jungle" with a little gang of pack-rat tribesmen. This level ends with a confrontation with the bothersome hunter!



"I'm a lumberjack and I'm O.K. ..." Later on, you will find a river that you will need to cross. To do this, you must leap from log to log while being rushed downstream by the current! Be cautious, because as soon as you touch one of the logs, it will start sinking into the water!

Get ready for an intense mine shaft level that will test your speed and coordination skills! You must quickly learn whether to raise your car in the air, or speed up to make it over a gaping hole in the mine tracks. This section is VERY tricky!

"Going up!" When you get deeper into the mines, you will find a plethora of different elevators that you can use. Be careful on this level, for there are plenty of traps to keep you busy.

King Salmon

Reelistic Fishing

Fish for king salmon without leaving your house? You can, if you have the latest fishing cart for the Genesis, King Salmon by Sage's Creation. This game combines all the fun of fishing for that "prize winner" with a few added hilarious twists.

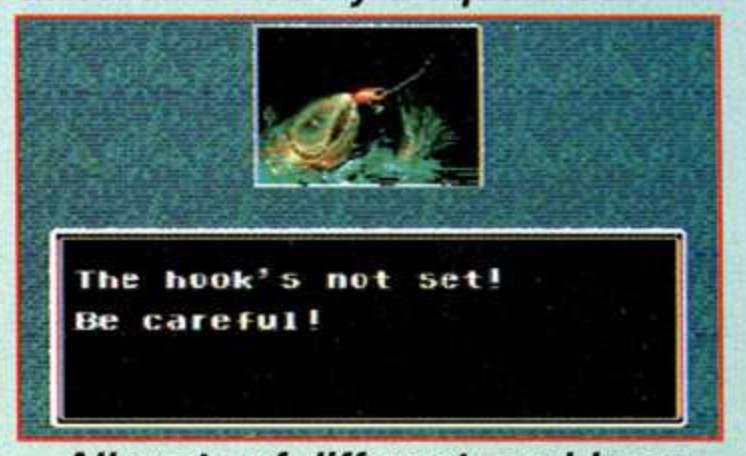
The object of the game is fairly simple. You are in a fishing tournament and in order to win, you must net the biggest catch to beat your competition. The only problem is, this is not as easy as it sounds!

To make things a little easier, you control the depth at which you fish, lures that are used, the amount of line on your reel and where you want to fish.

You will know (oh boy, will you ever!) that you have hooked into one when the "hit window" in the lower left-hand corner of the screen is activated. Now, it's just you and the salmon engaged in a battle of wits – and you thought fishing was boring!

Remember to bait your hook with King Salmon and get ready to reel in the fun!

Bang-O! You must be extremely wary of the other boats at all times. If you collide with others too many times, you will be unceremoniously disqualified.



All sorts of different problems may arise when landing a fish. Try to be prepared for anything!

Troll the shoreline in search of a mighty king salmon. Remember to adjust your depth accordingly.

You will have to fish in a variety of weather conditions, each affecting the fish differently.

A window will open in the corner of the screen to give you a better view of the ensuing fight.

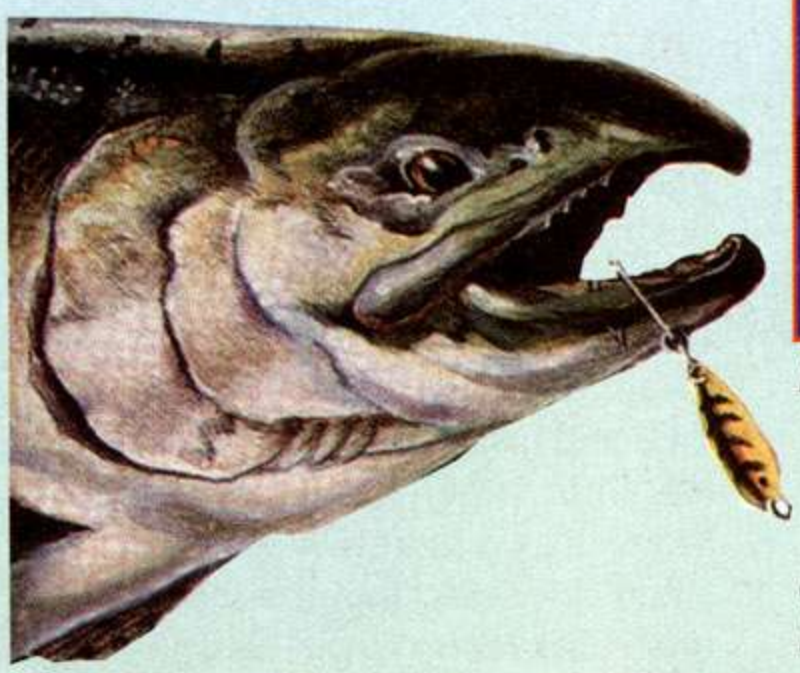
To land a salmon, you must learn to "pump." This involves pulling up on the rod to tire the fish.

Trolling is the most effective way of catching fish. Simply drag the lure behind your boat.

You may have problems if your fish hides. Try making adjustments to your reel to compensate.

MEGA FILE

MANUFACTURER	MACHINE	DIFFICULTY	AVAILABLE
SAGE'S CREATION	GENESIS	MODERATE	JULY
CART SIZE	**NUMBER OF LEVELS**	**THEME**	**% COMPLETE**
4 MEG	N/A	SPORTS	100%



By using the options menu, you can make the changes that are crucial to successful fishing. The menu allows you to change depth and increase the amount of line that you have on your reel.

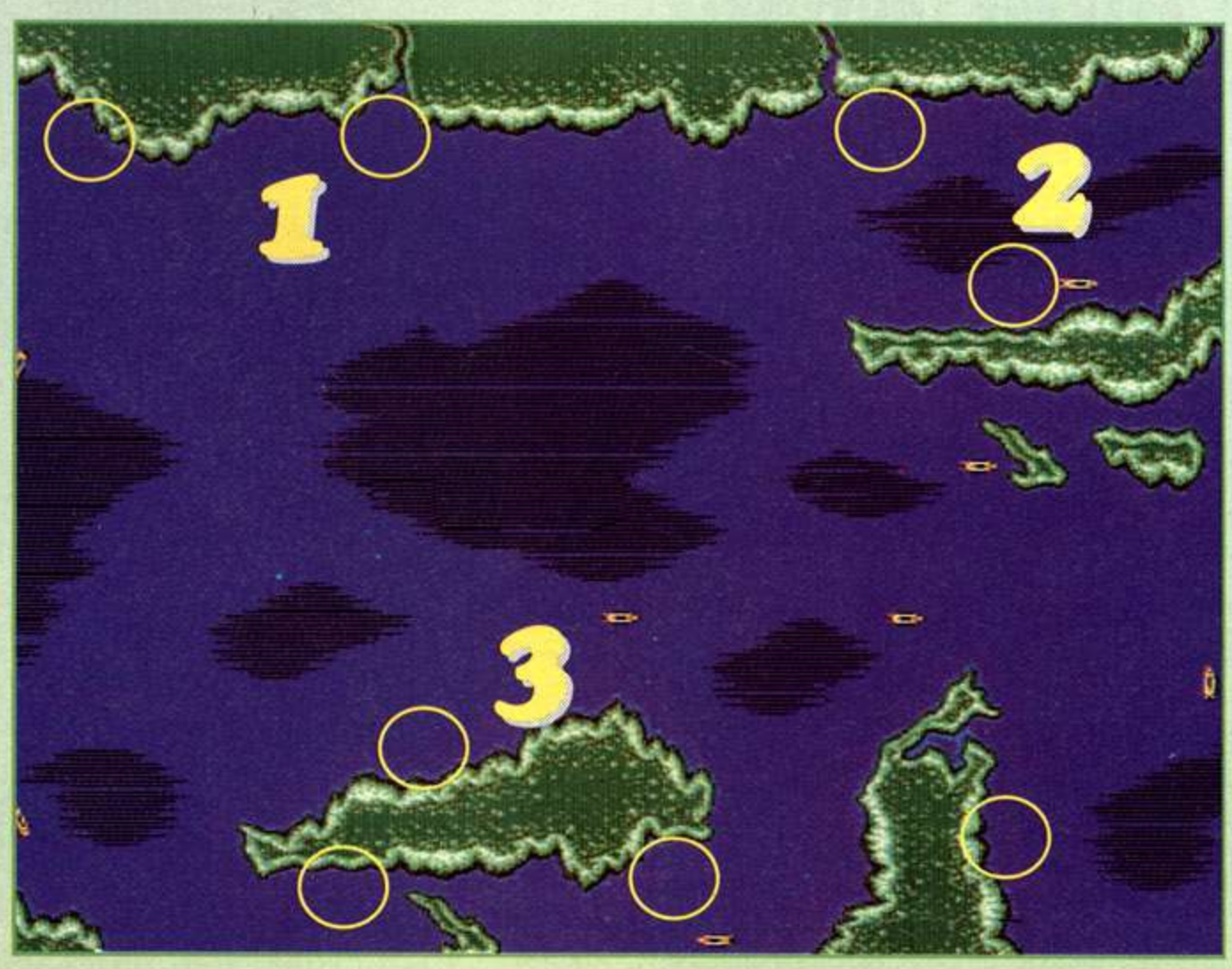
Use the computerized fishing guide to help you find all of the good fishing spots.

The success that you will have using a particular lure may vary. Conditions such as water and fishing depths are key factors.

Congratulations! After completing one area, you will advance to a more challenging round of the tournament.

After catching each fish, your player's strength, stamina and technique will be enhanced.

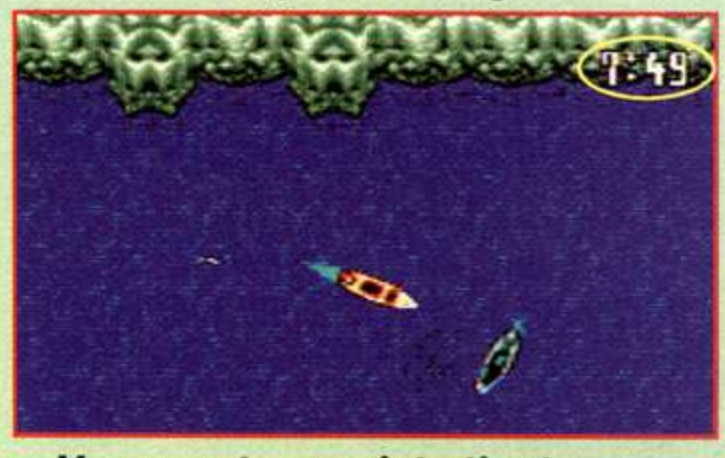
HIT THE "HOT SPOTS!"



1- You may be able to land a king salmon here. Keep your eye on your depth and use a spinner or a plug.
2- This area will probably be the best place for silver and pink salmon. Practice here to increase your strength and stamina.
3- If you are ready to go after "the big one," this is the best area to look. Remember that the bigger king salmon like the deeper, colder water. Try using a plug or a spoon.

Pay attention to the line indicator when landing fish. If you are careless, you will run out of line!

Land a few pink salmon to improve your technique and raise your strength.



You must complete the tournament within a set time limit. The clock at the right will help you.

GLOBAL GLADIATORS

MICK and MACK

SAVE OUR ENVIRONMENT!

Our planet is in peril of being damaged beyond repair! The air is full of pollution and the water is filled with chemicals. There is litter everywhere! What are we going to do? Never fear, Mick and Mack are here!

Global Gladiators is the new action cart from Virgin. It is packed with 8-Megs of pure adrenaline!

You can select either character and use your blaster to put an end to this environmental disaster before it's too late! Along the way, you can collect various icons which will aid you in your fight.

Leap across vast chasms covering many different types of terrains. Each level presents its own unique challenge. One minute you'll be in a forest, and the next you'll find yourself in a chilly ice cave!

The graphics, sound and game play are all top-notch. This is a game with a message. Young and old alike, we can **all** learn something from it!

Clean up <u>your</u> act with Global Gladiators. It's more fun than blowing bubblegum bubbles... in fact, you get to do that too!

MEGA FILE

MANUFACTURER	MACHINE	DIFFICULTY	AVAILABLE
VIRGIN	GENESIS	AVERAGE	NOVEMBER
CART SIZE	**NUMBER OF LEVELS**	**THEME**	**% COMPLETE**
8 MEG	15	ACTION	80%

Help Mick and Mack rid the Earth of the evils of pollution. Pollution can even be found on the highest mountaintop!

Enemies like this slime generator are easily defeated with a well-placed blast from your squirt gun. Shoot first; ask questions later!

Collecting these big hearts will increase your life! Continue to look for them, because they help you survive each level.

The options menu permits you to choose the difficulty level, select characters, music, sound and triggers.

Hey, this guy looks familiar! You must complete each level within a set time parameter to progress to the next level.

Brrr! It's <u>cold</u> in here! Watch-out for creatures like this abominable snowman. If he gets to you, he will put a freeze on your fun!

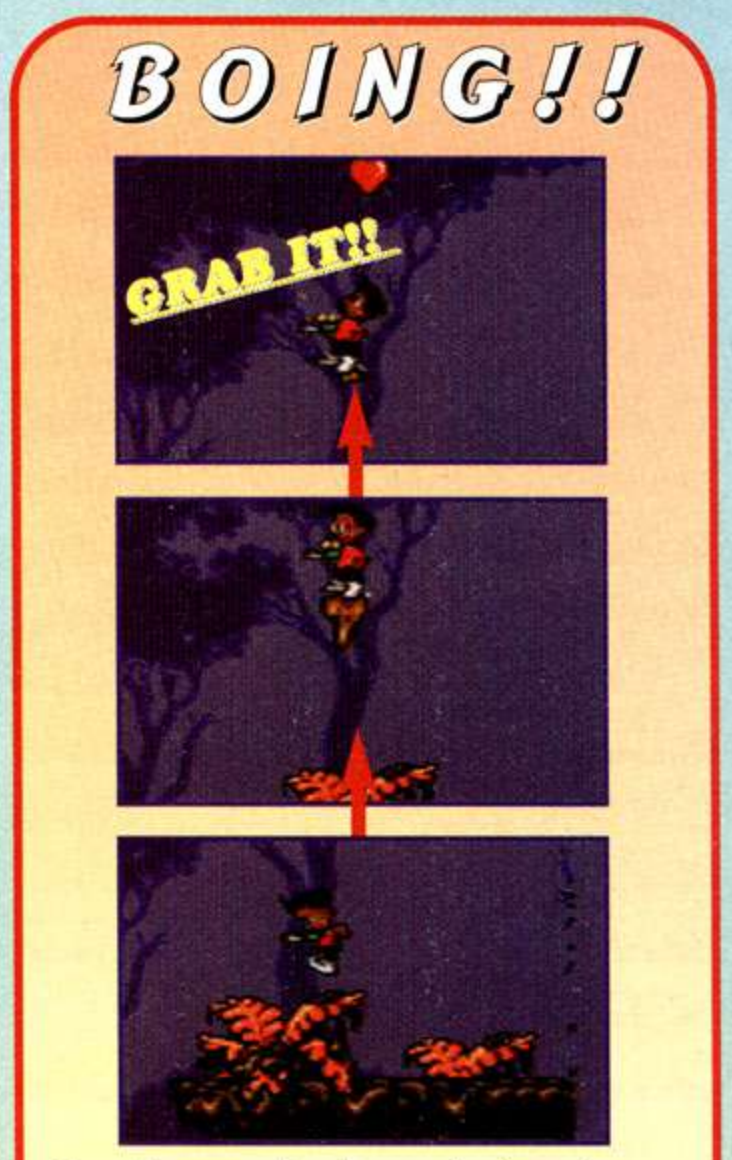
Once you complete a level, you play a bonus stage. Throw the recyclables into the trash cans.

Use your slime gun to wipe out the nasty polluters! This weapon is essential in your adventure.

Take part in your own comic adventure, as you and the Global Gladiators team-up for some fun!

Cross various terrains and dodge weird creatures like these boulder - hurling squirrels. You have to watch your step around them.

Leap across vast chasms in the arctic zones! Don't be too anxious, because you may fall into the gorge and lose the battle!



Use the springboards (some are hidden) to capture items!

Hilarious game play highlights the cart from start to finish. Apart from being fun, this game delivers an important message.

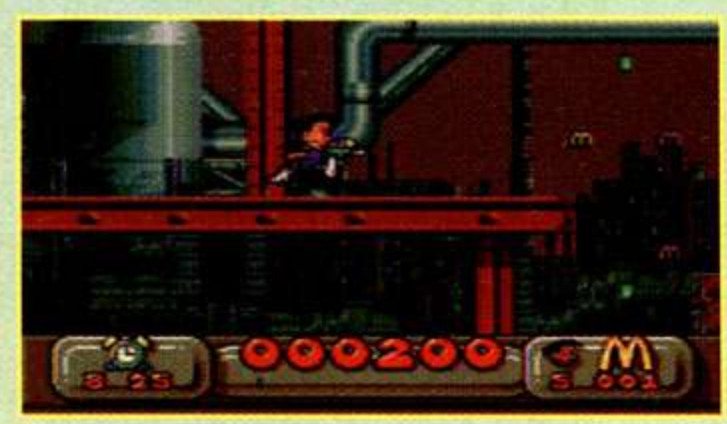
Beautifully detailed graphics throughout the course of the game makes the scenery come alive!

In order to substantially boost your score, you must collect the little "M" icons which appear during the course of the game.

Lush, realistic visuals add dramatic depth-of-field to the already impressive graphics. This cart offers a scenic extravaganza!

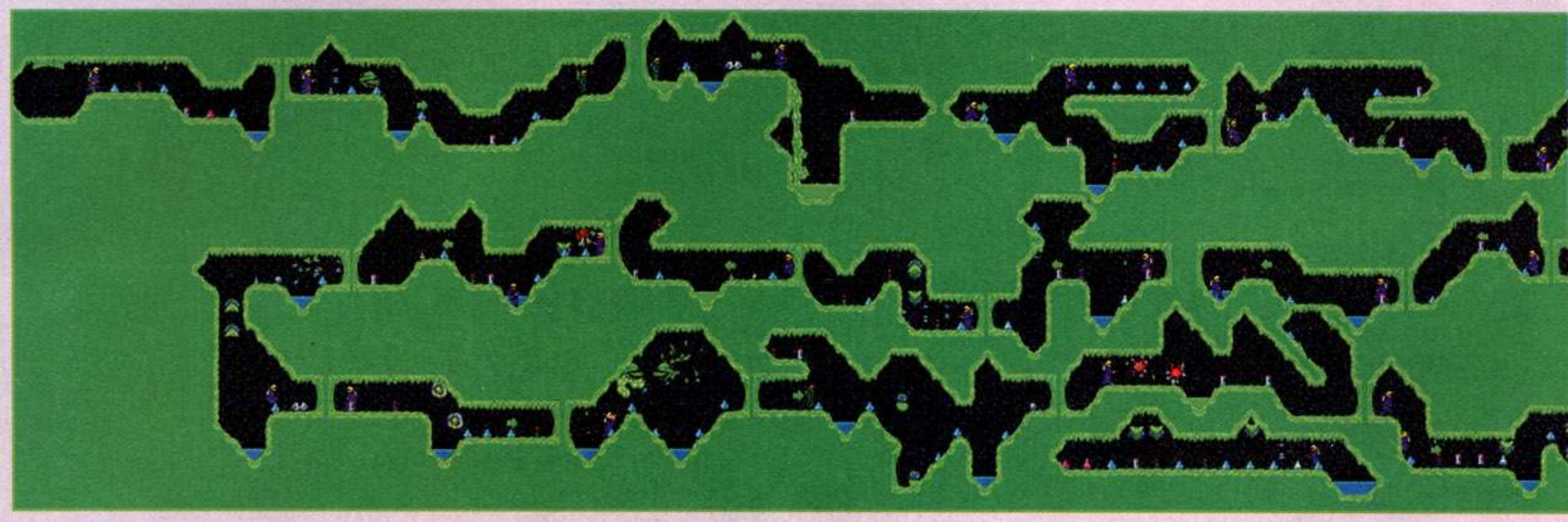
Mick and Mack stand ready to save the planet's ecosystem!

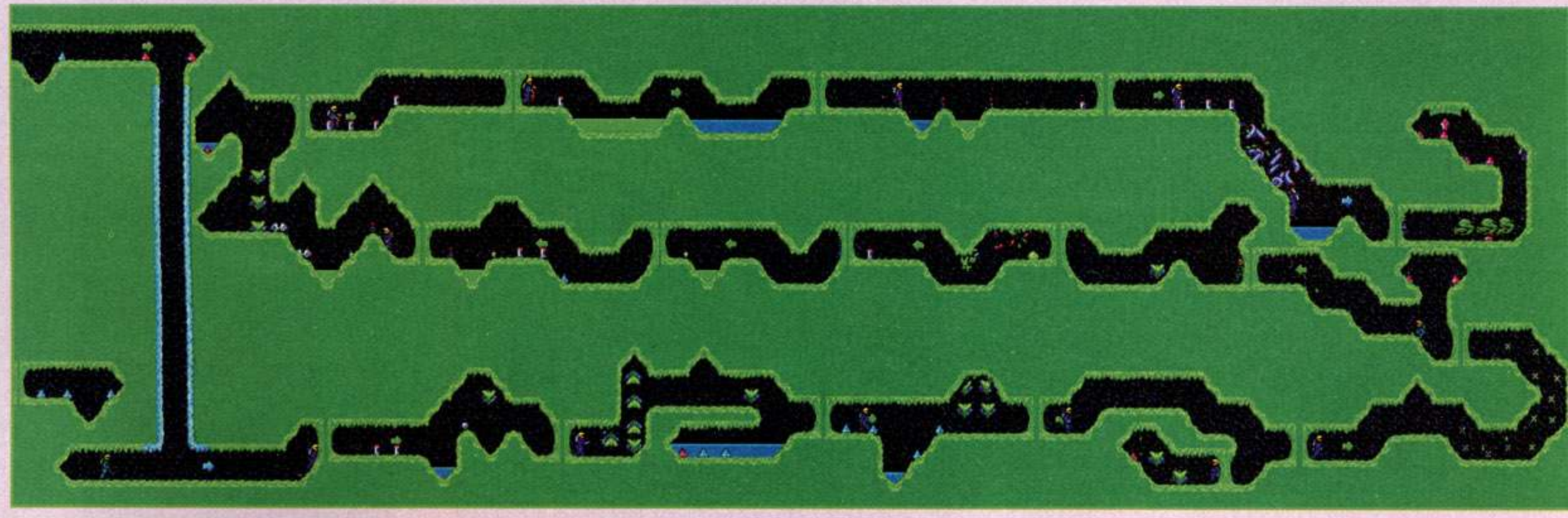
Use the tree branches to get across tough areas.



To run quickly, just hold the pad in the direction you want to go!

A spitting bird will shoot slime if you are not paying attention!





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	RENOVATION	GENESIS	AVERAGE	JUNE
	CART SIZE	NUMBER OF LEVELS	THEME	% COMPLETE
	4 MEG	6	ACTION	100%

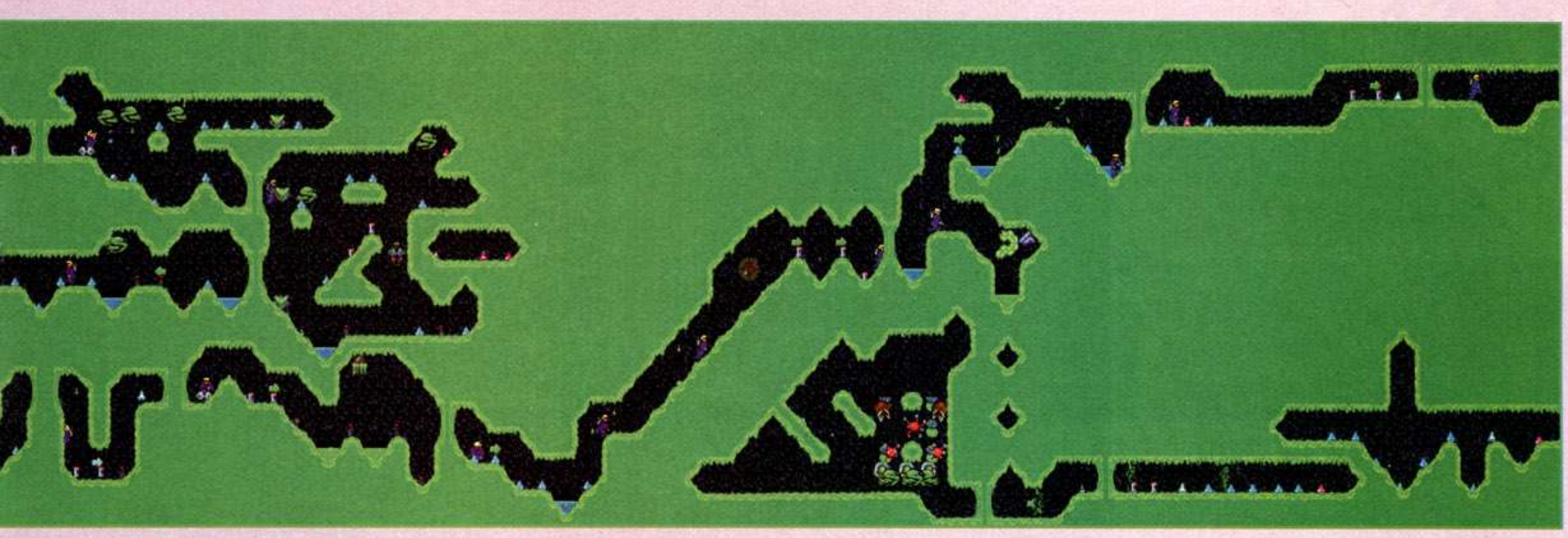
SPEND SOME TIME IN THE SLIME!

The guys over at Renovation have taken the ever popular Atari Lynx title and brought it to the big screen. You loose nothing in the translation for Genesis and you gain a jazzier (nay, funkier) soundtrack in the deal. Anyone who loved the Lynx version is going to go bonkers over seeing it on his television.

Here is the story. Todd just crash landed on the planet of slime and he is looking to get rich where others have failed. Exploring the inner depths of slime world and fighting the icky, blecky, horrid, deadly creatures he finds there, Todd starts to collect the valuable slime gems. Things do not go well for our hero, though. After gathering many slime gems and taking off in the rescue ship, there is a mechanical problem that sends him right back to the planet. Realizing the planet's surface is not safe because of radiation, Todd again submerges into the planets depths. Now all of his profits from the first trip down are going to have to be used to buy a new ship! Luckily, Todd was able to radio another rescue ship, but he does not know where it will land and he has very little time to find it. Things in Slime World get worse. The creatures are meaner, there are more of them and to top it off, his gun will not work! Not being one to give up, Todd does get rescued and things are looking up. Then (you guessed it!), his ship crashes again. Only this time, the world seems unstable and about to collapse in on itself because of a fungal deficiency caused by the slime. Todd must then pick all the mushrooms he can to give himself a little more time to find his next rescue ship. Regardless, the point is there is plenty of action to go around in this game!

One of the great features of this game is the fact that two people can play at the same time, and if, in other games, you were feeling like your playing partner was holding you back, you will not have that problem here. Renovation gives you a split screen, so you can adventure in different parts of slime world at the same time!

Todd's adventures in Slime World is sure to be one of the messiest good times you have this summer, so pick it up and wipe it off! Yuck!

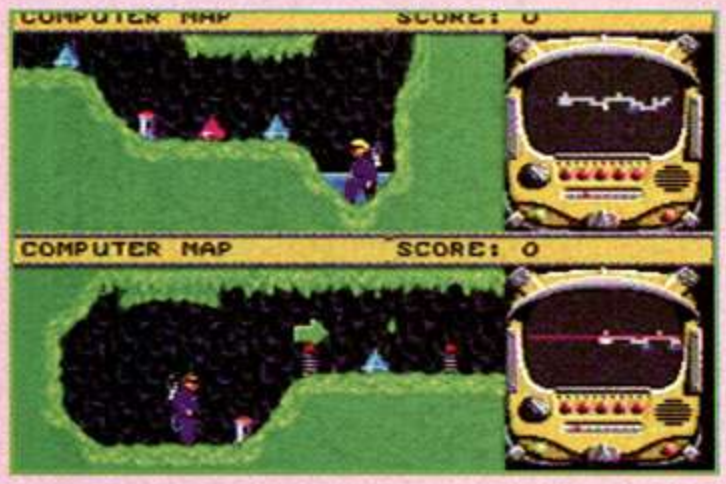


Todd's Adventures in SLIME WORLD

Oh no! Not another computer failure! Will Todd ever get off of this gross planet of guck? Maybe!

The radiation is dangerous on the surface, so Todd takes his chances underground. Good luck!

When you are underground, you will find these items both valuable and useful (and at your feet) .



Due to the split screen, two people can explore Slime World at the same time, and in other areas!

Do not worry, if you finish one adventure, Todd has enough problems to keep you going back.

Washing is the key to surviving in Slime World. If you get too much slime on Todd, it's over.

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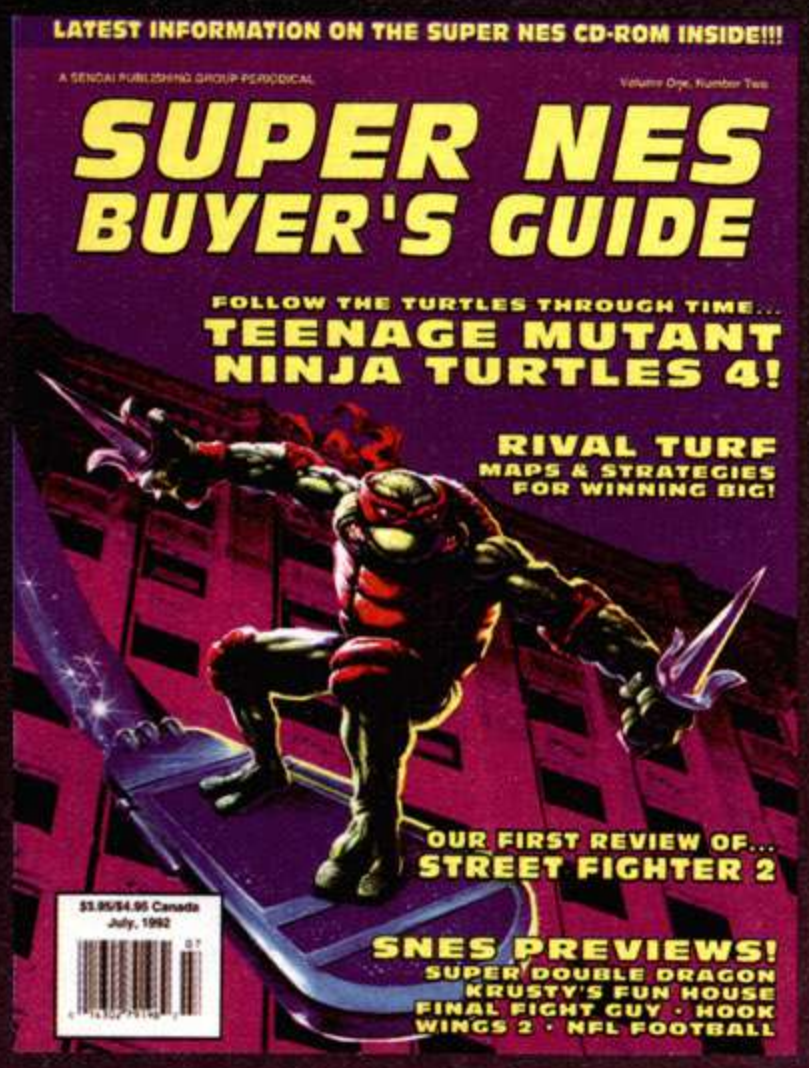
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	DATA EAST	GENESIS	MODERATE	NOW
	CART SIZE	NUMBER OF LEVELS	THEME	% COMPLETE
	8 MEG	30	SPORTS	90%

RACK 'EM UP!

Why bother going to those smelly old pool halls, when you can have just as much fun with Side Pocket on your Genesis!

From the menu, you can select a one or two player tournament, a two player nine ball game, and the incredibly fun trick game. In the trick game, there are 19 games to challenge you. If you win them all, you play a puzzle game that can pay a great deal of cash!

One great feature is a moving guide that shows you the projected ball path. Occasionally, the word "ZONE" appears in one of the pockets. If you manage to hit the ball in the zone, you will be warped to a special pool table where you can win bonus prizes!

The zones appear after you knock the ball into a zone hole. You can score big points and win more chances to beat the game.

You have many different options allowing you to play alone, or with a friend. You can also try for the trick game (see below)!

Use the dotted guides to help you shoot the ball around the table. You can also switch the placement to see the width of the ball.

Play all of the 19 trick games and discover a model that you will need to piece together!

Choose how many games you need to win before you can call yourself a true "pool shark."

Play a round of nine ball for a different challenge!

In this trick game, you must somehow maneuver the cue ball through a series of wine glasses.

Do you have the skill to sink all six balls? Try lining up your guide like this, and...

...charge up to full power and shoot! Many more challenging games await you in Side Pocket.

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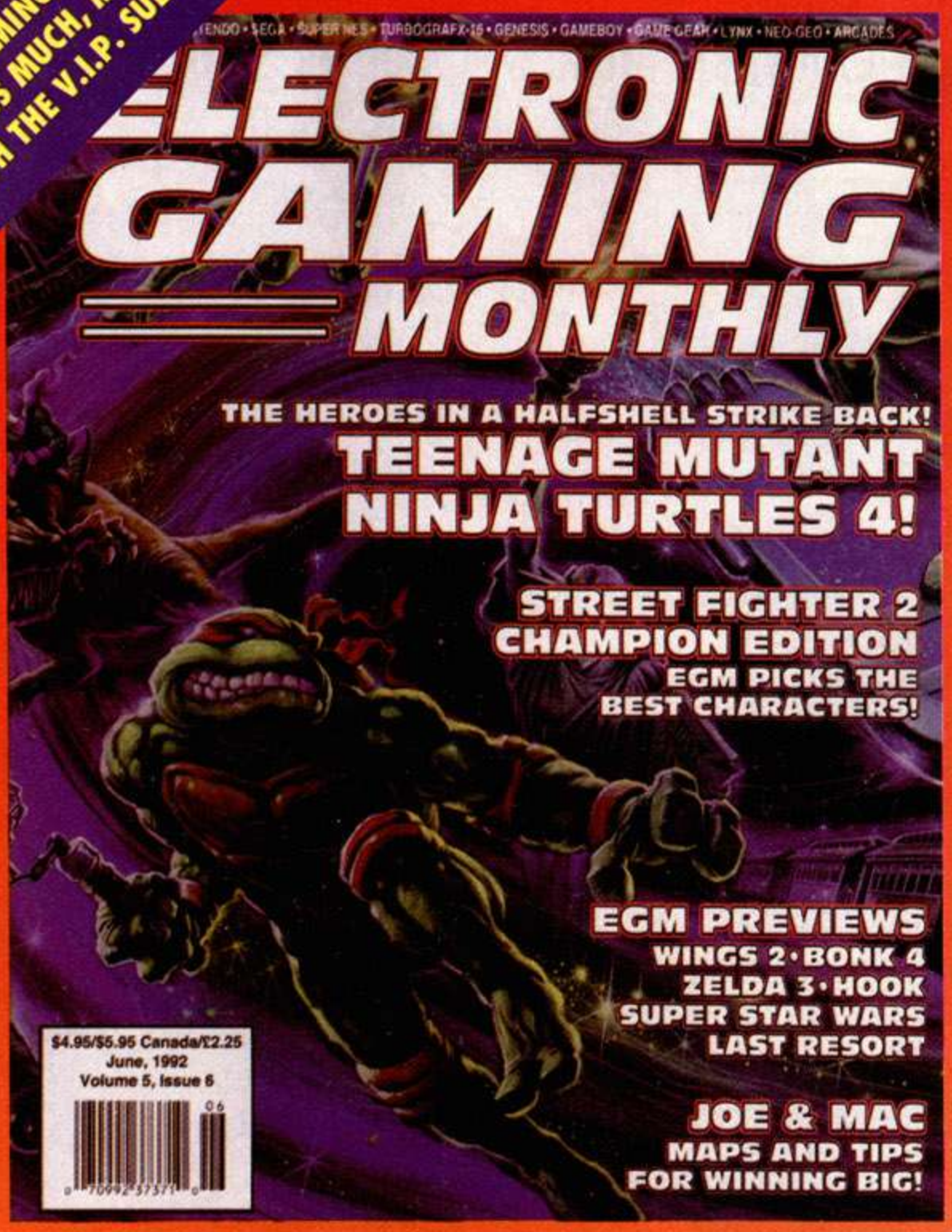
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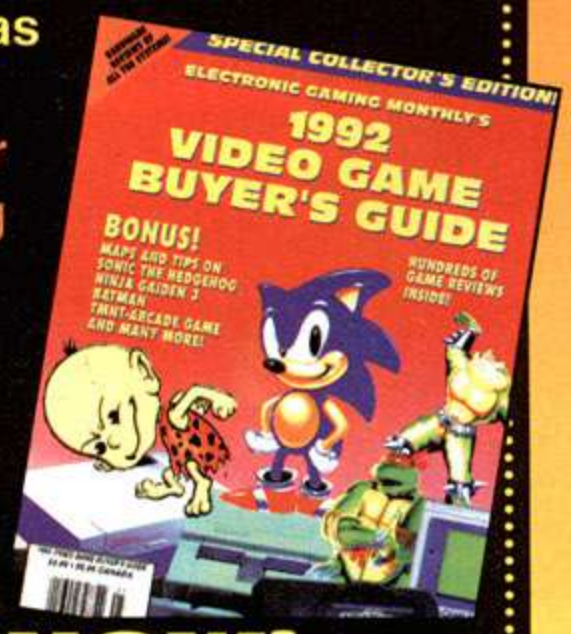

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ARCH RIVALS

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	ACCLAIM	GENESIS	MODERATE	NOW
	CART SIZE	NUMBER OF LEVELS	THEME	% COMPLETE
	4 MEG	N/A	SPORTS	100%

There are four teams to choose from: Brawl State, Natural High, Chicago and L. A. There are also eight players available.

There are not many special shots in this game , but you can perform slam dunks and jump shots from the field.

Big Bash Basketball

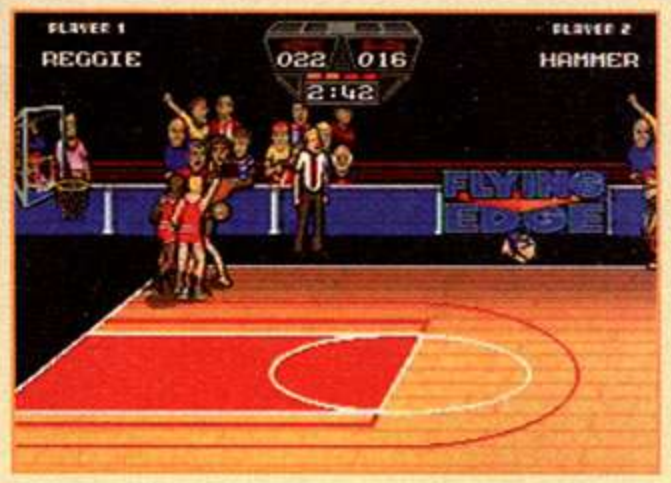
This is not your average day on the court. No sir, this is the most competitive rivalry since the play-offs. Arch Rivals takes basket-brawl to a new extreme!

The boys at Acclaim have taken this arcade conflict and put it on the Genesis. The first thing you will notice is how fast your men move (real fast, almost too fast!). It will take a moment to get used to it, but then the battle starts!

The fighting is the best part of Arch Rivals, making the basketball seem almost secondary. The more aggressive you are, the better your score. The computer keeps things competitive until the end, but you will have the most fun just bashing skulls on the court.

If you're looking for a basketball game with a twist, check out the two-on-two action of Arch Rivals!

No blood, no foul! The first thing you must learn is how to punch your opponent in the face. Just expect the same from him!



The best way to keep your opponent from scoring is to pin him in the corner and pummel him. Ouch!

If you can master a slam dunk from the free throw line, you might smash the backboard to pieces!

Look at the junk on the court! Fans will throw garbage on the court, and if you step in it, you will fall on your face.

Another way to keep your opponent from scoring is to use a diving tackle. It sure makes rebounding easier!

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MEGA FILE	MANUFACTURER	MACHINE	DIFFICULTY	AVAILABLE
	VIRGIN	GENESIS	MODERATE	OCTOBER
	CART SIZE	NUMBER OF LEVELS	THEME	% COMPLETE
	4 MEG	N/A	SPORTS	99%

Have a Ball!

World Trophy Soccer, by Virgin, is the latest soccer cart for the Genesis. Packed full of exciting game play, impressive graphics and intense soccer action, this great cart is sure to be a winner!

You can customize every aspect of your game. Select the type of tournament that you wish to play, and the teams that you will be competing against. Select defensive formations and make substitutions at the press of a button!

Even the team uniforms can be customized by selecting your very own color combinations of shirts, shorts, trim and socks!

World Trophy Soccer is a load of fun to play, and it gets even better on the multi-player modes. Go head-to-head against your friends and see who really is the best!

For a real kick, pick-up World Trophy Soccer and hit that green field for some tough player competition.

The diving save! Watch your goalie make awesome plays.

You can get fouled if you are careless or too rowdy!

The active player's name is at the bottom of the screen.

If you fail in your quest for the trophy, you must try again!

Use the replay option to review those exciting goals!

Intense soccer action heats up as you press closer to the goal.

Pick the country that you want to represent.

Recall games and teams by utilizing the password option.

You can customize your team's uniforms to your liking.

You must be quick to get the ball at the kick-off!

Progress through the many rounds until you reach the finals.

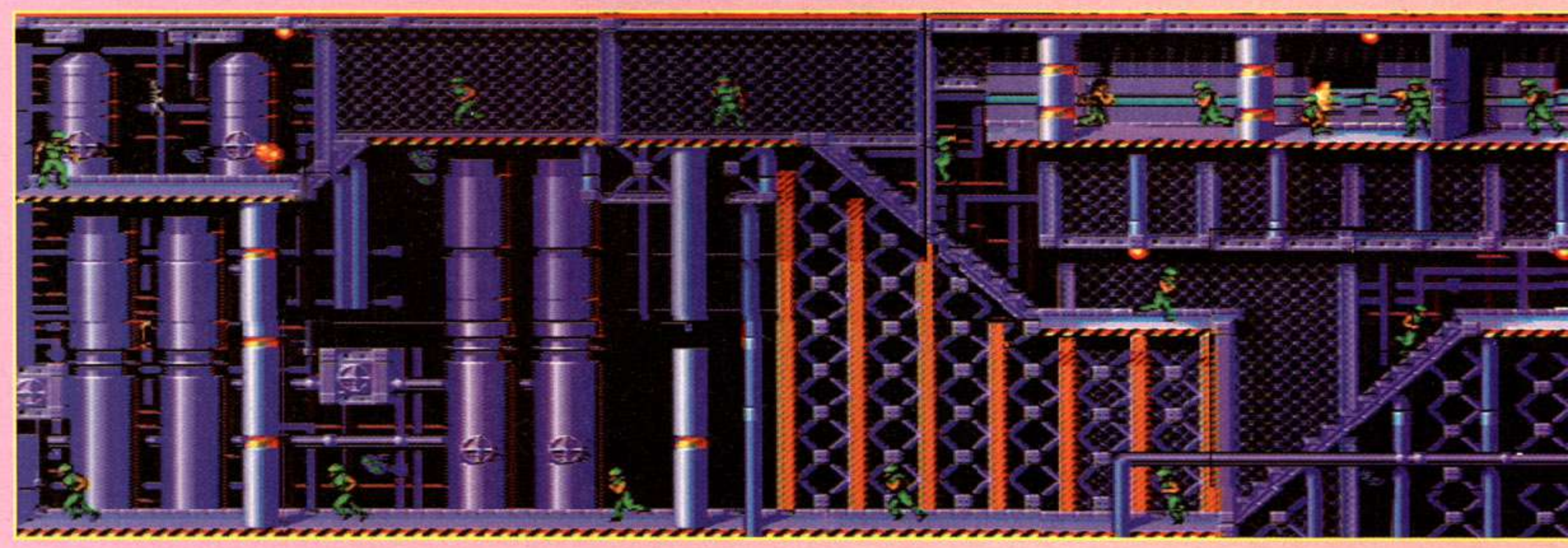
THE TERMINATOR

MEGA FILE	MANUFACTURER	MACHINE	DIFFICULTY	AVAILABLE
	VIRGIN	GAME GEAR	HARD	OCTOBER
	CART SIZE	NUMBER OF LEVELS	THEME	% COMPLETE
	2 MEG	8	ACTION	90%

HE HAS COME BACK!

Fans have seen the movie and loved it. Now, they are thinking how cool it would be to live it. Well, Virgin must have read those minds because here it is in all its glory for the Game Gear. The Terminator follows the same storyline as the movie. In 1997, a global computer network begins to think on its own and decides that the human race is a threat to its existence (sound familiar?). Thus, it starts launching all its thermonuclear weapons and nearly wipes out the entire human race. Well, the survivors form a resistance group that conducts a raid on Sky-Net to destroy the mother computer. Just before it is destroyed, Sky-Net sends a cyborg back in time to kill Sarah Conner. Sarah Conner is the future mother of John Conner, leader of this human resistance. You are Kyle Reese (no, not the Terminator!) a close friend of John Conner that he sends back to protect his mother.

You must first infiltrate Sky-Net (no easy feat) and destroy the mother computer, then jump into the time displacement machine and return to the present. Then, you must find Sarah Conner, so you can protect her from the Terminator. Your final mission is to lure the Terminator through a computer factory and



destroy it in a hydraulic press.

The action is truly non-stop with hunter killer planes dive bombing you as you run across the battlefield and cyborg units with guns coming after you in droves upon reaching the complex (if you reach the complex!). To complicate matters, your only weapon in the beginning is a handful of grenades!

Then, there is the Terminator itself, a one machine wrecking ball. Built stronger than a sherman tank and meaner than a wounded bulldog, when you finally kill him, you will be terribly glad to see him go.

The Terminator is definitely a gamer's game. Even the graphics are impressive (just look at the maps of the battlefield above and the complex below), with characters so real you just will not believe it (Kyle Reese even breathes!).

This game is as hard as they come with a great story, awesome control and cool graphics. If you want a thrill a second, pick this one up immediately!

To get across the battlefield and away from the hunter killer planes, figure out the pattern you must run, or die trying!

Here is a hint: when the first bomb falls, stop and wait for the second bomb. Then, jump it and run until the next bomb comes!

The cinema screens really add to the mood of the game (not to mention tell you the storyline and give directions on your mission)!

This is a safe spot on the battlefield where you can give pay-back to the hunter killer planes that bombed you. Big points baby!

SPIDER-MAN

The Kingpin broadcasts the lie over television. You will have to act fast to clear your name!

As Peter Parker, you meet up with Jonah Jameson, a man known for pressuring photographers.

I have fashioned this amulet for you Spider-Man. If you find yourself in extreme danger, press the stone and it will teleport you home.

Dr. Strange will provide you with an amulet which will help you escape dangerous situations.

WEB SLINGING WONDER

It is one of the worst possible nightmares for a Super-Hero. The city has turned against Spider-Man, thanks to the evil Kingpin. The Kingpin has framed him by announcing that Spider-Man has turned to a life of crime by planting a bomb in the city that will dump radioactive waste into the harbor and destroy the environment. It is your job to clear his name. This will not be easy because everyone is against you!.

Find five keys and you can disarm the bomb. You must travel through eight dangerous levels to acquire the keys and defeat the Kingpin!

Face numerous criminal Super-Villains such as Doctor Octopus, The Lizard, Electro, The Sandman and more! With them are a vast number of baddies and difficult situations that need your expert assistance. Power-Bats, cops, reptiles, falling bricks, henchmen, traps and other deterrents make your search less pleasurable.

During the game, use your super powers of shooting webs, jump kicking, wall crawling and swinging from place to place via your web. By pausing the game, you can select numerous options such as viewing the number of keys found, skipping story screens, having a rest at home or taking photos to make some money! Get ready to swing into Super-Hero hand held action!

SPIDEY'S MOVES AND ATTACKS

PUNCH, SHOOT WEB

JUMP KICK, LOW KICK

CLIMB WALL

SWING FROM WEB

MEGA FILE

MANUFACTURER	MACHINE	DIFFICULTY	AVAILABLE
FLYING EDGE	GAME GEAR	MODERATE	NOW
CART SIZE	**NUMBER OF LEVELS**	**THEME**	**% COMPLETE**
4 MEG	8	ACTION	100%

Good cops turned bad are out to get you. Freeze them with a web and punch their lights out!

Scale the walls of the Daily Bugle to search for a way inside. Look out for people throwing things!

Daily Bugle

Try entering the Daily Bugle building to check out the city's reaction to the Kingpin's announcement. This won't be easy, because cops are shooting at you and people in the building are constantly trying to impede your progress by throwing objects at you. Search to find a way in - your best bet is to climb the wall.

Waterfront Warehouse

It's time to search for clues (and keys) in the Waterfront Warehouse. In addition to a nasty forklift mid-boss, there are dogs and criminals waiting to inflict you with serious pain! Using your Spider-Sense, you can find out when a boss is coming, and you will need it to detect Doctor Octopus!

This forklift mid-boss is a real pain. If you hit him enough times, he will get out of your way.

Doctor Octopus is stretching his limits and his limbs in an effort to stop you in your tracks.

Falling bricks, sewer bubbles and reptiles are just a taste of the trouble which exists below the city.

The Lizard is tricky! It attacks when you least expect it. Try shooting your web and hitting it.

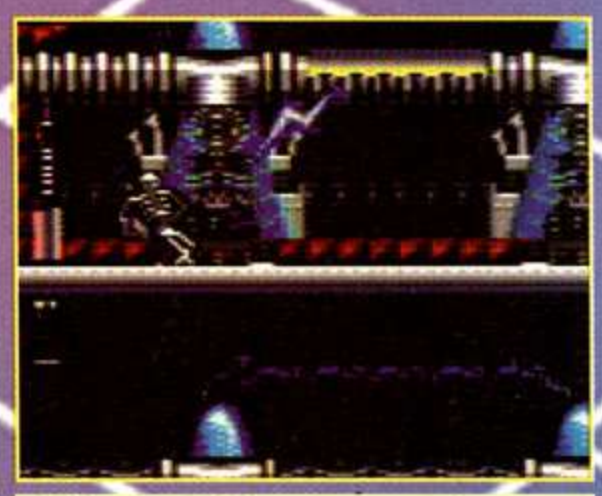
City Sewers

In the city's sewers, you must watch out for falling bricks from above and for deadly traps from below! You'll also enjoy fending off vicious rats, gators and other sewer creatures. Look out for the deadly toxic bubbles that rise from the slime. The Lizard is the main boss of this pit.

Power Station

Shocking action awaits as your search takes you to the Power Station. Bats are everywhere and lightning bolts attack from all angles. Electro's henchmen are ready to rumble and the source of all this power is nowhere in sight! Find Electro and give him a taste of Spidey power!

Electric barriers block your way while henchmen are eager to give you an even bigger shock!



Fried spiders are not on the menu today, but Electro would like to place a special order.

FHEY

MEGA FILE	MANUFACTURER	MACHINE	DIFFICULTY	AVAILABLE
	WOLF TEAM	MEGA CD	HARD	NOW
	CART SIZE	NUMBER OF LEVELS	THEME	% COMPLETE
	CD-ROM	N/A	RPG	100%

THERE ARE FOUR CHARACTERS TO OBTAIN!

Reifel Alfredo

WARRIOR

Descended from the legendary "Ghost Horsemen" who stopped a rebellion 1200 years ago, Reifel has the best swordsmanship in the entire land!

Tarfo Hardess

SOLDIER

Tarfo is a soldier in the service of his God and Commander of the Guard for the country of Atraino. Possessing a whip, he sets out with his own agenda.

Shifon Fasher

WARRIOR

A skillful warrior who sets out to achieve full control of her motor skills. She has a variety of different attacks, but her best skill is her incredible speed.

Rian Fasher

SORCERER

This young lady happens to be Shifon's younger sister. Instead of following the ways of the warrior, she became a sorcerer and grew powerful.

COMBAT DISPLAYED DYNAMICALLY!

SIDESWIPE SLASH

The most basic form of attack.

FORWARD THRUST

A great concentrated attack.

HYPER TWIST SWIPE

Hits all opposing creatures!

AGIAMA ASSAULT

Devastating and magical!

THE SPIRITS HAVE RETURNED!

Fhey Area (originally titled "Faria") has hit the Japanese Mega CD market!

This CD is slated to be one in a series of games that explore the entire world of the four main characters. It begins with the spirit of an evil entity which has, for some strange and unapparent reason, risen from the dead. This spirit has somehow manifested itself in the real world and has special powers that can transform the wildlife of the entire planet into raving monsters and madmen. Why is this happening? It is up to you to find out by guiding Reifel through the many dangerous lands and locating your three allies. The source of this evil must be destroyed!

One of the best RPGs for the Mega CD system, Fhey Area contains vast lands and plenty of creatures to battle. The music, composed by a symphony, provides a sense of dramatization and a movie-like atmosphere.

There are tons of items ranging from potions to magical staffs hidden everywhere. Four characters are available, and each has his or her own special forms of attack and defense.

Hopefully, Sega will decide to market this great RPG in the United States! Stay tuned!

ENTER VILLAGES TO POWER-UP YOUR PARTY!

The Inn will allow you to save your game. Do this often!

Enter the shops to purchase remedies and magic scrolls!

INN	1
MONARCH HOME	2
ITEM SHOP	3
WESTERN EXIT	4
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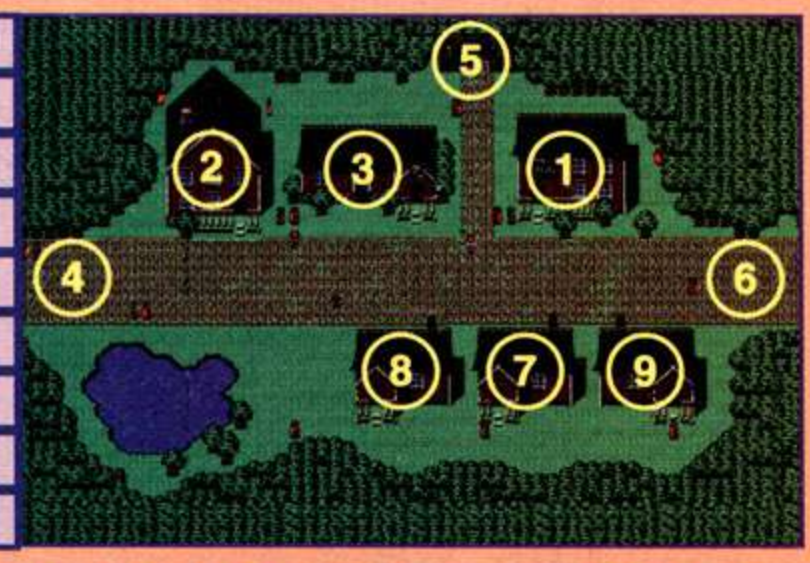
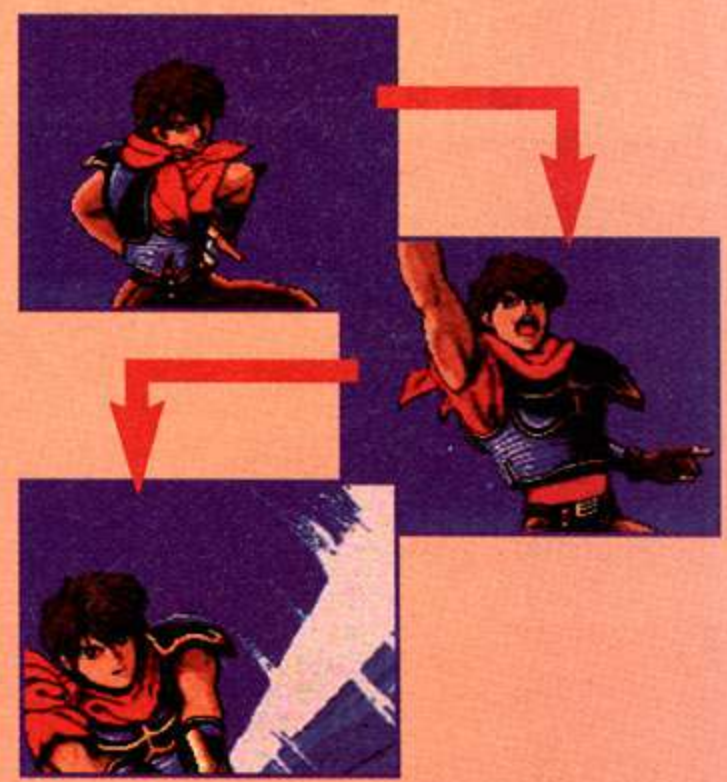


AWESOME CD CINEMA DISPLAYS BRING THE ACTION TO LIFE!

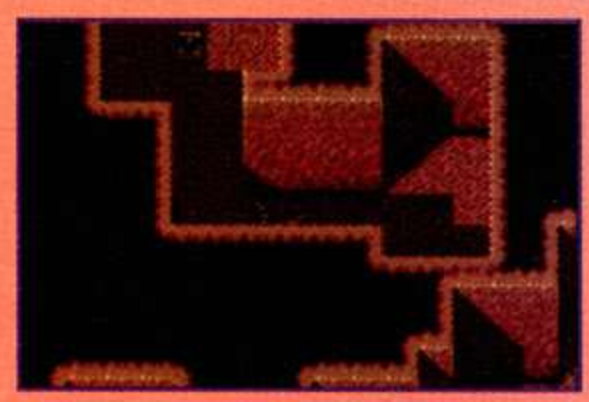


MANY MIGHTY MONSTERS TO MAUL!

EXPLORE THE PALACES FOR ADDITIONAL TREASURE!

In the first tower (located in the north region), you have to try to rescue the monarch of the town.

Next, you will need to travel to this tower and find your friend, Tarfo. He will quickly join you in your adventure!



AREA

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SEGA STRATEGIES FOR WINNING BIG!

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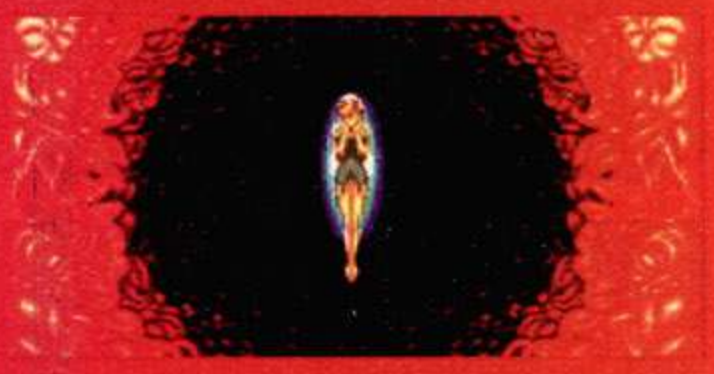
	CART SIZE	NUMBER OF LEVELS	THEME	% COMPLETE
	8 MEG	8	ACTION	100%

SPLATTERHOUSE 2



HELL IS FOR WIMPS!

Rick is being tormented again by the hideous nightmare of the Splatterhouse. A new gang of nasty ghouls has kidnapped Jennifer and it is up to you to get her back before she becomes a permanent resident of the Splatterhouse.

Rick must fight through eight horrific levels of slimy, oozing, monster-mashing action before confronting the final boss, whatever it is. The next few pages will give you the tips, strategies, and full color maps that you need to make it through the haunted forests and swamps and finally send the vile residents of the Splatterhouse back to the abyss where they belong.

MASTER YOUR ATTACKS!

PUNCH

Just stand and hit attack for a rapid punch.

LOW KICK

Hold down and press attack to hit below.

JUMPKICK

Hit attack while jumping forward.

SLIDE

When landing hit down and attack.

PICK UP WEAPONS TO SURVIVE!

PIPE

BONE

SHEARS

SAW

OAR

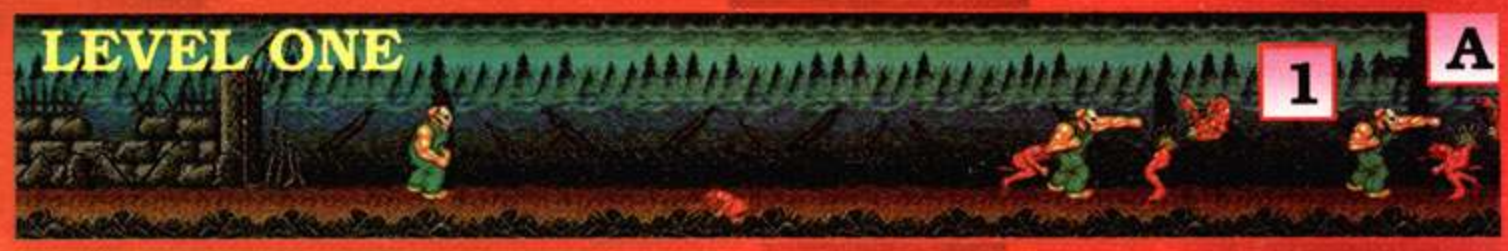
HEAD

SHOTGUN

POTION

LEVEL ONE: THE HAUNTED FOREST

1. These ghouls are easy to get rid of, just use punches and watch them explode.
2. A nasty blood worm will jump out of the dead body in the background and munch on the one in the foreground.
3. You'll find a pipe on the ground here, use it on the ghouls.
4. There are blood worms hiding in the ceiling. They will drop down on you, so be careful. Use low kicks to beat them.
5. A blood worm will burst out of the ghoul right here. Try to hit the worm out of the air with the pipe or else use low kicks.



BOSS ONE

This gruesome monster has some friends over for lunch before greeting you. It is very simple to kill. Just walk up to it and get in close, then use rapid punches to cause indigestion.

BOSS TWO

Punch the flying faces that appear and jump-kick the boss in the eyes when he spits the blob at you.

Ride the elevator of death to the bottom floor.

LEVEL TWO: UNDERGROUND PASSAGE

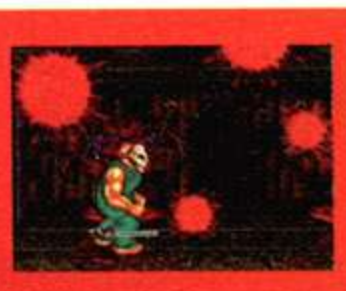
1. These ghouls are a bit more dangerous. They can stab you with their claws and like to jump around. It takes two punches to get rid of them.
2. As you can see, jumping over these would be a wise thing.
3. These spikes appear in a pattern. Cross over when safe.
4. You'll find this bone laying on the ground, be sure to grab it.
5. These creatures will turn into sludge for a brief moment after you hit them. Take that opportunity to jump over quickly.

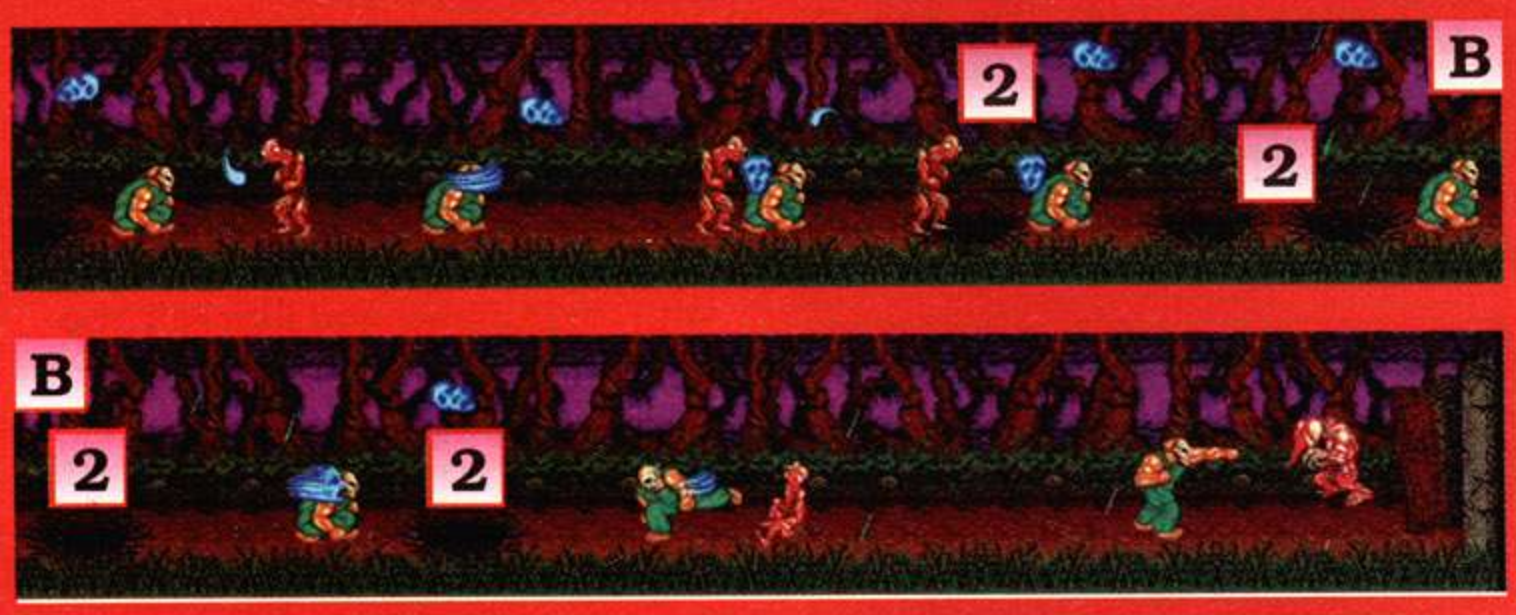
LEVEL THREE: THE FOUL RIVER

1. Punch the first ghoul and the next one will jump into the water.
2. Jump kick the fish as they leap out of the water to attack you.
3. This ghoul will fall into the water if you punch it once.
4. This ghoul jumps straight up and down. Time your jump kick so that you hit it when it's on the ground. Watch out for an attacking fish when you land.
5. A fish will jump out of the water; just walk to the left and it will hit the ground and die. Then jump kick the ghoul that is in the way. When you land, another fish will attack, so be ready.

BOSS THREE

When you walk into the room, a haunted saw and shears will greet you. Get the saw by hitting it twice and then use it to destroy the shears and the bosses that are hanging around.





This section is filled with spikes and ghouls. You must conquer them!

LEVEL FOUR: PATH TO THE HOUSE

1. You have to cross this bridge as fast you can to get to the island. You will find an oar on the ground; use it to fight off the ghouls. It is useless against the swamp monster.
2. Beware! Falling into any of these holes will bring you to the beginning of the underground level.
3. Watch out! These ghouls will appear if a blue spirit touches the ground.
4. If you get caught by the blue spirit, it will change the directional movements of the joystick. Be wary, because you may walk into a hole if the effect wears off while jumping over it.

BOSS FOUR

This boss is pretty tough. Jump over it when it slides towards you. If it jumps, hit it with a punch right away and jump over the slide. After a few hits, the boss will fall apart and a huge spider will emerge from it's guts. Use low kicks to defeat it.

LEVEL FIVE: THE SPLATTERHOUSE

1. These ghouls will take two hits to kill. Use rapid punches.
2. Use low kicks to win easily. Watch for jumping ghouls.
3. Grab the shotgun from the rack and use it against the ghouls.
4. The goats' heads on the walls will spit green acid. Don't touch it or let it touch you!
5. This is one library where you'll always get a hand. Use low kicks to defeat the severed hands.
6. As you pass by, ghouls will crash through the glass tubes. Rapid punches will work. You must hit them 3 times.
7. If you fall in, you'll go to the underground (see level 4).

MORE LEVEL FIVE:

1. Throughout this level you will be attacked by sludge monsters. When you have room, go to the far left and wait for them to spit sludge. After they've attacked, they transform into a pool of sludge for a moment. Jump over it when the monster is in this form. If you attack the monster when it is normal, it will come back almost instantly.
2. Don't fall into this mess, or you will lose a sizeable amount of life!
3. This mad scientist is throwing all kinds of potions at you. Some of them explode into fire and others turn into sludge monsters. Follow him to the end of the level.
4. Little potions are falling from the ceiling and exploding into flames on the floor.
5. Grab this vial and throw a little flame of your own!

BOSS FIVE

It is difficult to catch up to the scientist, but he isn't much of a boss. After you get to the end of the level, he just stands there shaking like a coward. One punch a day keeps this doctor away.

LEVEL SIX: PORTAL OF DOOM

There is not much to this level. You will walk up to the portal and it will open, revealing a vision of Jennifer. A mass of ghouls will then drag her back into the spirit void where she may be lost forever. A nasty monster will emerge from the portal and you must defeat it before you can jump in and attempt to rescue Jennifer.

BOSS SIX

First, a group of severed hands will fly out of the portal. You can stay crouched and low kick most of them, but be careful! You have to stand and punch when they are too high. Next, you must fight a bunch of swirling heads. Low kicks and punches will work best. The last form the boss uses is easy to kill; just stand and punch him when he comes close.

LEVEL SEVEN: DOWN TO THE ABYSS

Rick jumps into the portal in hopes of rescuing Jennifer. You are thrown into a weird warp of flashing colors where you must battle many flying enemies. You are being transferred to the spirit void and the only escape is to rescue Jennifer and head back through the portal. There are a few major obstacles to overcome.

BOSS SEVEN

The boss uses two forms. The first is a crystal guarded by rotating spheres. Jennifer is held captive inside the crystal. Hit the crystal numerous times to free her. Then, you must escape from the giant guardian of the spirit void. To survive, stay to the far right to avoid his shots and jump kick the ones that come too close.

Stay in the middle of the screen most of the time for a safe spot.

LEVEL EIGHT: ESCAPE FROM THE SPLATTERHOUSE

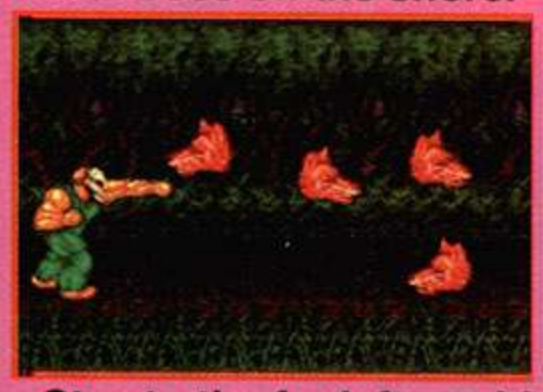
You've finally rescued Jennifer and the guardian of the spirit void is defeated. The Splatterhouse is starting to collapse and you have to escape! Take the elevator up the the ground level and hop into a motorboat. When you get to the shore, you must still confront the last boss and the source of the dark evil that has tormented you for so long.

As you try to escape the island in the motorboat, you will be chased by hideous sea monster. It will shoot spikes at you. Punch a spike and it will land in the boat. Pick it up and throw it at the sea monster. Jump over low spikes.

THE FINAL BOSS AWAITS YOU!

You will meet the last boss on the shore. On the right, do low kicks until you kill two heads; stand up and punch. On the left, you only have to kick one head; stand up and punch. Be sure to punch the flying head or it will change back into the boss and you'll have to start over.

You are greeted by the final boss on the shore.



Stay to the far left, rapid punch and low kick.

Do rapid low kicks until you kill two heads...

Stay and punch rapidly or jump kick.

then stand up and punch. Repeat on left.

Punch the flying head rapidly, or else!

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SPLATTERHOUSE 2

A pit of darkness has sucked your girlfriend within its inner realms. Rick must pass through 8 levels as he combats hordes of slimy beasts and gruesome bosses to save his woman. The bosses are gross!

Namco	Genesis	Action	8 Meg	Now

DAVE — 7

This sequel to Splatterhouse is only a little better than the first. Cool bosses and some genuinely hilarious moments are exceptional. This game loses a point for **poor control**.

G.O.G. — 6

BLOOD! Lots of it! But this is about the only thing that gives this game a good selling point. The controls are bad and the lack of new stuff really takes something away from the game.

MIKE — 7

Splatterhouse 2 should appeal to horror movie fans. There is plenty of blood and guts spilled from the enemies, but the effect grows rather thin after awhile. A nice game, but repetitive.

BART — 6

If you want gore at its worst, here it is! This isn't called Splatterhouse 2 for nothing! The game play is a total pattern, however, and you could program a controller to finish the game perfectly.

KID CHAMELEON

In the arcades, a video game has become alive and started kidnapping the kids. You play the part of Kevin on a mission to rescue the kids. Pick up power-up helmets and diamonds to help you out!

Sega	Genesis	Action	8 Meg	Now

DAVE — 7

Amusing. If you enjoy Mario-type games, you will like this. The various helmets and powers that the kid gets are cool. The game gets to be monotonous after a while, though. Nice music!

G.O.G. — 7

They sure had some skill when they decided to make this cart! I wasn't too fond of the size of the characters, but the ability to change into different characters and the size of the levels made up!

MIKE — 8

Kid Chameleon is great! Although similar to many other action games, KC has enough features to win me over, like the huge quest and many power-ups. Nice job Sega!

BART — 8

This is a hot title with great graphics, cool tunes and levels, plenty of levels! This game play is very concise, and let's face it, a video game in a video game can't be all bad! Worthy!

TAZ MANIA

Play the part of Taz on a mission to locate a lost valley filled with gigantic bird eggs. Journey through forests, deserts and ice lands to find the eggs and feed your family. Taz has great animation!

Sega	Genesis	Action	4 Meg	Now

DAVE — 8

Fan-Taz-tic!! This game looks just like the cartoon and is just as hilarious! While the game is not too easy, it is not impossible. The tornado spin is great! A sure hit for the kids!

G.O.G. — 8

Now this is a prime example of what a licensed name should look like! Good graphics and fantastic animation, plus tons of levels, make this a definite winner! Stop reusing sound effects.

MIKE — 8

Taz Mania is another sure-fire hit from Sega! Taz animates with perfect detail and the music is great from the start! The score would be higher if the KC sounds were left out.

BART — 7

The graphics in Taz are utterly astounding, but the sound effects could use some work. Perhaps with a little added interaction, Taz would be truly awesome. Don't eat any bombs!

BART VS. THE SPACE MUTANTS

Bart Simpson needs your help. A group of aliens have landed and plan to take over Springfield. Now Bart needs all his mischievousness to stop the aliens and save Springfield. Don't have a cow, man!

Flying Edge	Genesis	Action	4 Meg	Now

DAVE — 4

Cheese-ola! Not what I expected! Although the kids may find it amusing, veteran gamers should look elsewhere. Poor graphics and **bad control** kill this one.

G.O.G. — 3

Now here is a cart where you just get the impulse to swing a sledge hammer at it! This game has poor controls, substandard graphics, bad sound effects and no appeal! Icky Poo!

MIKE — 4

This could have been a great hit. Average graphics, bad sound and terrible control just don't make the grade! I hate to say it, but I feel that the NES version is better.

BART — 3

C'mon! Bart on Genesis should at least have been better than Bart on the NES! I feel for the poor slob who gets stuck playing a 16-Bit game with less game play than an 8-Bit title.

EVANDER HOLYFIELD "REAL DEAL" BOXING

Put on your gloves and prepare to fight with the best because here comes Evander Holyfield. Pick a rookie boxer and build up your skills as you fight each opponent. Do you have what it takes to win?

Sega	Genesis	Sports	4 Meg	Now

DAVE — 7

Cool game! Nicely done graphics, sounds and a lot of fun to boot! I liked the way that you can customize your own boxer. If you are looking for a great boxing game, check this out!

G.O.G. — 7

It is definitely a neat boxing game (a vast improvement of the Buster Douglas). It has some really cool scrolling, good animation, and all sorts of neat touches. Good for boxing fans.

MIKE — 8

Boxing at its best! Holyfield has a great selection of boxers to create! The ring, however, is outstanding! The smooth rotating ring lifts this title above the rest. Cool sound effects as well!

BART — 7

This is really a new and exciting approach to boxing. If the programmers could add more punches and technique, it would be really hot! As it is, it feels robotic to play, but good.

DRAGON'S FURY

How about a nice game of pinball...Dragon style! Dragon's Fury has all the fast, flippin' action of real pinball, but there are new features like moving demons, killer heads and, of course, the Dragon's Fury.

Tengen	Genesis	Action	4 Meg	Now

DAVE — 7

This re-hash of the game Devil's Crush has taken the concept a little further with cooler graphics and improved bonus stages. Quick and exciting game play make this cart fun.

G.O.G. — 8

Speaking as a fan of the original Turbo version, DF is a blast to play! Incredible bonus rounds and fantastic visuals and sounds make it great! Trashing the devil has never been so fun!

MIKE — 7

Dragon's Fury is a nice game of pinball, but the demonic graphics seem a bit strong. However, this is a fast game that will keep pin lovers happy, if you do not mind the artwork.

BART — 6

Good game, but the demonic overtones are still a little much. Did they think that just changing the name from Devil Crash would fool anyone? Otherwise, it would be an 8.

STEEL EMPIRE

In the Age of Steel, the Motorhead Empire continues to invade the country. Pilot a winged aircraft or a zeppelin on a mission to wipe out the Motorhead Empire. Many power-ups and difficult stages.

Flying Edge	Genesis	Shooter	4 Meg	Now

DAVE — 8

Steel Empire is a nicely done shooter. Although I encountered some slowdown, the game plays well for the most part. Better-than-average graphics and cool bosses. Nice music!

G.O.G. — 6

Well, it's gone from Battlewings to Steel Empire. This game does have some neat features and fantastic ships to fight, but the game is just too simple, dull and repetitive.

MIKE — 8

Talk about a tough shooter! Everything from the levels to the incredibly tough bosses turns Steel Empire into a shooter fan's delight. Tons of weaponry and beautiful backgrounds are here!

BART — 6

At least the graphics are cool. Steel Empire suffers from the same disease of hundreds of other shooters - no concept. Good graphics and music aren't enough in these tough times.

SIDE POCKET

The game of billiards has reached a new high! Side Pocket is not simply a standard-fair pool game. You can enter pool tournaments and even compete in contests to win big prizes. Try the challenging trick game.

Data East	Genesis	Sports	8 Meg	Now

DAVE — 6

Good concept, but the game gets old real quick. Some of the trick games are fun and involve a great deal of finesse. You must practice to get the right "touch". Overall, not very exciting.

G.O.G. — 7

Great game, D.E.! With all the digitized sounds, cool trick shots and really neat options this cart brings pool to a whole new level! However, I didn't like the use of women for sex appeal.

MIKE — 5

Side Pocket is one of those games you can get into...for about 20 minutes. Repetitive pool games have been commonplace and this one is no different. Only fun as a two player game.

BART — 6

This is perhaps the best billiards game to appear on the Genesis, but it needs more control to really outshine the other contenders. The trick shots are cool - once.

KING SALMON

The salmon are spawning, so what are you waiting for? King Salmon is a new fishing adventure. You can pick from many fishing spots to catch the big ones! If you can snag the King Salmon, you'll get big rewards.

Sage's Creation	Genesis	Sports	4 Meg	Now

DAVE — 7

I must admit that I was skeptical at first, but now I am addicted! Trolling back and forth looking for fish gets repetitive. Once you do hook into a fish, the fight becomes quite exciting.

G. O. G. — 6

This game reminded me of the good-ol' time I had with Black Bass for the NES, except this game is a lot better. However, the only intense part is reeling in the fish. That's about it.

MIKE — 7

Video fishing never captured my attention, but all that has changed! Trying to catch the King Salmon kept me at the controls for hours! King Salmon is the perfect catch!

BART — 7

King Salmon is incredibly repetitive, but also incredibly entertaining! Grab your lures and head to your boat, because King Salmon makes Black Bass look like a guppy!

BULLS VS. LAKERS

Relive basketball's hottest moments with Bulls vs. Lakers for the Genesis. Pick from the Bulls, Lakers or any of your favorite teams and play for the championship title. A two player versus option is available.

Electronic Arts	Genesis	Sports	8 Meg	Now

DAVE — 8

Yet another great sports title from the folks at EA. Realistic dunks and player movements are well executed. You can even make teams play against themselves! Very impressive!

G. O. G. — 8

It is a sports game with EA on the box - what else is there to say? This game has all the appeal of the previous version, but with better controls and options! E.A scores high again!

MIKE — 8

EA knows sports! Bulls vs. Lakers comes through as one of the hottest sports commodities this year! All the top teams are here and the control is perfect. Keep up the good work EA!

BART — 8

No one knows sports programming like EA. Everything you ever wanted in a basketball cart is here, plus a few extra goodies like instant replay! Bulls vs. Lakers has it all.

AERIAL ASSAULT

In Aerial Assault, you are in command of the strongest fighter in the fleet. Wipe out entire waves of enemy attackers with six available weapons. Blast through four tough levels and complete your mission.

Sega	Game Gear	Shooter	1 Meg	Now

DAVE — 5

It's an average shooter for the Game Gear. Everything is pretty standard: the enemies, the power-ups and the graphics. There is some nice scrolling and cool backgrounds.

G. O. G. — 4

It's a shooter. There are power-ups. You fight bosses that fight back. You complete a level and you do another. Hooray! Nothing new here. It is just another shooter.

MIKE — 6

The Game Gear has needed a side-scroller and Aerial Assault delivers! The enemy is relentless in its attacks! Plenty of things to shoot at with lots o' power-ups make this one hot!

BART — 4

Shooters are my favorite, but this is unworthy! I want some originality and a good storyline! I don't want to ask myself, "Why am I playing this game?" Maybe next time.

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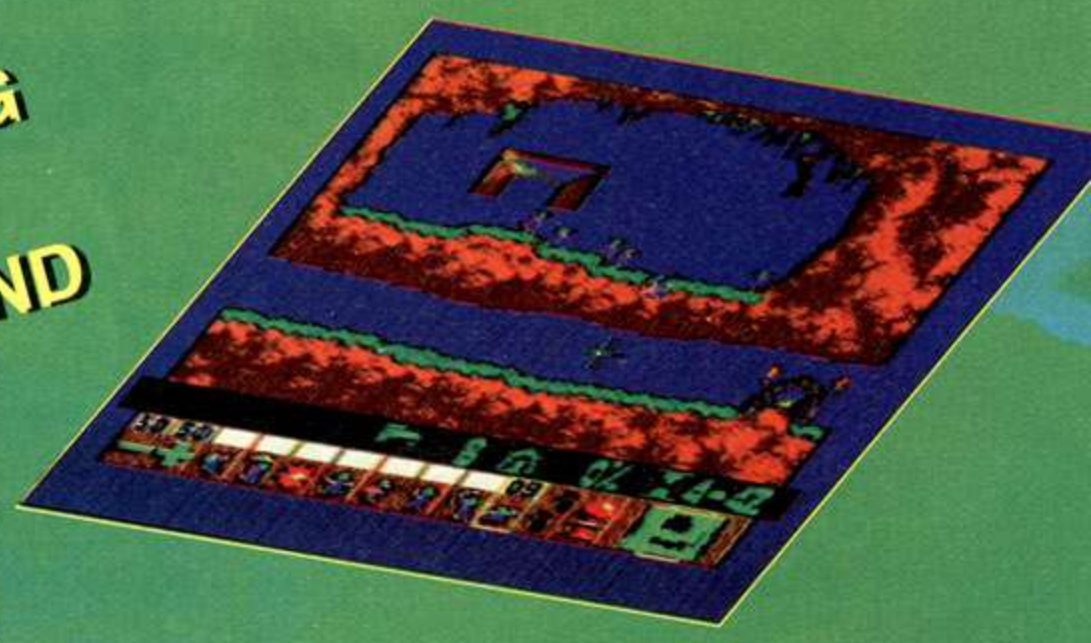

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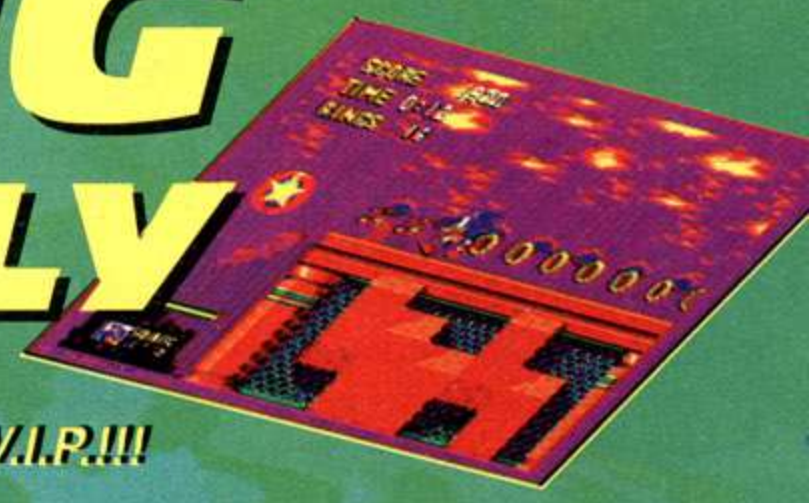

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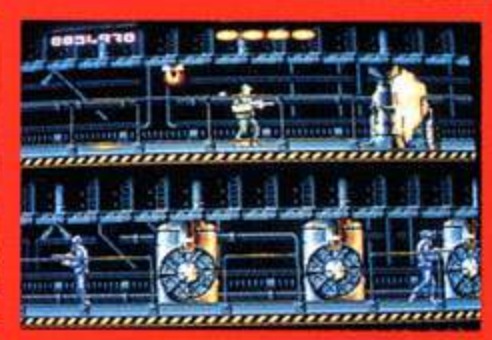

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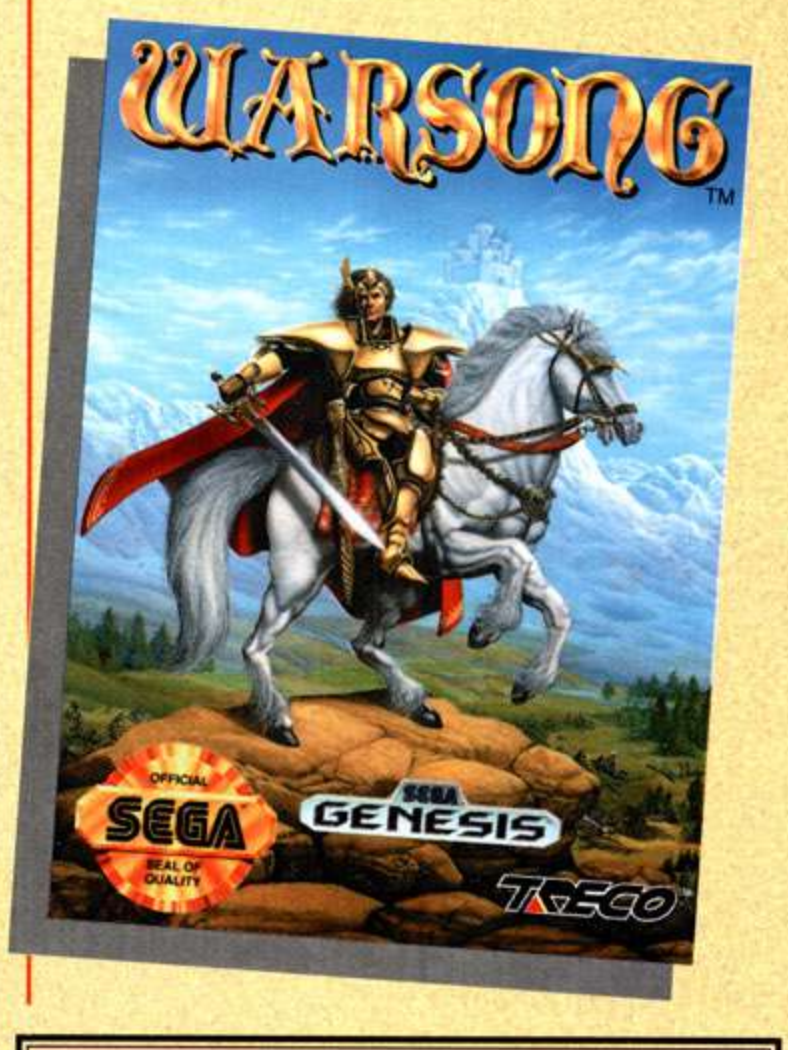

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